COHASSET TOWN REPORT

1929

One Hundred and Fifty-Ninth Annual Report of the

BOARD OF SELECTMEN

OF THE FINANCIAL AFFAIRS

OF THE

TOWN OF COHASSET

AND THE

REPORT OF OTHER TOWN OFFICERS

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31

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TOWN OFFICERS, 1929–1930

TOWN RECORDS

Elected by ballot

Town Clerk

HARRY F. TILDEN . .	Term expires March, 1932

Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

HERBERT L. BROWN . .	Term expires March, 1930
WILLIAM H. McGAW . .	Term expires March, 1931
WILLIAM O. SOUTHER, JR.	Term expires March, 1932

Treasurer and Collector of Taxes

HARRY F. TILDEN

Constables

JOHN J. OLIVER
JOHN T. KEATING
WILLIAM J. POWERS
ROYAL A. BATES
STEPHEN H. ROONEY

Finance Committee

HOLLIS T. GLEASON . .	Term expires March, 1930
JOSEPH N. WILLCUTT . .	Term expires March, 1930
CARLTON M. WOODS . .	Term expires March, 1930
EDWIN W. BATES . . .	Term expires March, 1932
GILMAN CHURCHILL . .	Term expires March, 1931
JOSEPH F. KENDALL . .	Term expires March, 1931
MILTON L. KERR . . .	Term expires March, 1932

Highway Surveyor

GEORGE JASON

Tree Warden

JOSEPH E. GRASSIE

School Committee

MANUEL A. GRASSIE . .	Term expires March, 1930
HELEN E. SCRIPTURE . .	Term expires March, 1930
JOHN BATES	Term expires March, 1931
SARGENT F. TOWER . .	Term expires March, 1931
BARBARA W. CHURCHILL .	Term expires March, 1932
MALCOLM H. STEVENS .	Term expires March, 1932

Board of Health

IRVING F. SYLVESTER. .	Term expires March, 1932
EDWARD L. HIGGINS . .	Term expires March, 1930
ABRAHAM S. ENOS. . .	Term expires March, 1931

Trustees of Public Library

MARION D. HOWE . . .	Term expires March, 1932
OLIVER H. HOWE . . .	Term expires March, 1932
FLORENCE N. BATES . .	Term expires March, 1930
SARAH B. COLLIER . .	Term expires March, 1930
BURGESS C. TOWER . .	Term expires March, 1930
GEORGE W. COLLIER . .	Term expires March, 1931
EDWARD NICHOLS. . .	Term expires March, 1931
EDWARD H. TOWER . .	Term expires March, 1931
PRISCILLA GOUGH . .	Term expires March, 1932

Town Officers Appointed by Selectmen

Town Accountant

EDWARD L. STEVENS . .	Term expires March, 1932

Registrars of Voters

THOMAS W. DOYLE . . Term expires March, 1932
HENRY E. SWEENEY . . Term expires March, 1930
JOHN ROCHE . . . . Term expires March, 1931
HARRY F. TILDEN, *ex-officio Clerk of Board*

Chief of Police

HECTOR J. PELLETIER

Police Officers under Civil Service

FRANK JASON
JOHN FLEMING
BENJAMIN F. CURLEY
JAMES J. SULLIVAN, JR.
EDWARD L. MAGUIRE
JOHN J. ROONEY

Special Police, under Civil Service

JOHN KEATING
HENRY B. KENNEDY
FREDERICK W. SULLIVAN
ROYAL BATES
SPENCER H. STOUGHTON
JOHN J. OLIVER

Special Police Officers

THOMAS J. AYERS
GEORGE JASON
ELMER J. LOUIE
CHARLES E. BUTMAN
CLIFFORD K. DICKSON
JOHN J. GRASSIE
STEPHEN H. ROONEY
ELLERY C. BATES
CARLOS A. TANGER
JOSEPH S. ENOS
JOHN J. FERREIRA
WILLIAM J. KENNEDY
FRANK E. JASON
FRED A. PETERSEN
WILLIAM J. POWERS
RALPH S. ENOS
LOUIS B. C. BAILEY
EDWARD B. MATHEWSON
MARSHALL SPEAR

Sealer of Weights and Measures

CALEB NICHOLS

Inspector of Wires

HERBERT WILLIAMS

Town Engineer

LEWIS N. PERKINS

Field Drivers

ARTHUR STUDLEY
ALFRED J. GONSALVES HENRY B. KENNEDY

Fence Viewers

EDWIN W. BATES ARTHUR STUDLEY
JOSEPH E. GRASSIE ALEXANDER HILLIS
LEVI L. WORRICK

Constable

THOMAS L. BATES

Public Weighers and Weighers of Coal

GERTRUDE C. LOCKE FRANK W. WHEELWRIGHT
JOSEPH A. VALINE WALTER C. WHEELWRIGHT
EVERETT C. WHEELWRIGHT

Auctioneers

HARRY F. TILDEN GEORGE F. SARGENT, JR.
THOMAS L. BATES AUGUST F. B. PETERSEN
JOHN P. KANE JOSEPH E. GRASSIE

Measurers of Wood and Bark

FRANKLIN BEAL ARTHUR O. HIGGINS
HOWARD BATES EDWIN J. MEALY

Surveyors of Lumber

JOSEPH A. VALINE WILLIAM H. ELLSWORTH

Harbor Master

JOHN J. GRASSIE

Assistant Harbor Master

JOSEPH S. ENOS

Burial Agent

JOSEPH S. ENOS

Pound Keeper

ELMER J. LOUIE

Town Physician

FREDERICK HINCHLIFFE, M.D.

Town Counsel

FREDERICK A. THAYER

Chief of Fire Department

FRANK F. MARTIN, JR.

Forest Warden

FRANK F. MARTIN, JR.

Inspector of Animals

DARIUS W. GILBERT, V.S.

Superintendent of Moth Work

JOSEPH E. GRASSIE

Appointments by Board of Health

Collector of Samples of Milk and Vinegar

IRVING F. SYLVESTER

Inspector of Slaughtering

DARIUS W. GILBERT, V.S.

Appointments by Chief of Fire Department

ALFRED M. SYLVIA, First Deputy
ROSCOE G. PRATT, Deputy Beechwood District
CLARENCE REDDY, Deputy
CHARLES HUNTER, Deputy

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Election of March 4, 1929

Article 1. Chose William H. Morris, Moderator, to preside at this meeting.

Article 2. The following vote was declared.

Total number of ballots cast, 1,382.

Town Clerk for three years

Harry F. Tilden	1,164
R. R. Beal	2
Blanks	216

Treasurer for one year

Harry F. Tilden	1,151
R. R. Beal	2
Blanks	229

Collector of Taxes for one year

Harry F. Tilden	1,148
R. R. Beal	2
Blanks	232

Selectman for three years

Darius W. Gilbert	661
William O. Souther, Jr	690
Blanks	31

Assessor for three years

Darius W. Gilbert	659
William O. Souther, Jr	685
Blanks	38

Member of Board of Public Welfare for three years

Darius W. Gilbert	662
William O. Souther, Jr	678
Blanks	42

Highway Surveyor for one year

George Jason	746
Ernest Robert Mealy	622
Blanks	14

Tree Warden for one year

Joseph E. Grassie	733
George Young	615
Blanks	34

Constables for one year

Royal A. Bates	691
Alfred J. Gonsalves	598
John T. Keating	904
John J. Oliver	733
William J. Powers	790
Stephen H. Rooney	649
Blanks	2,503

School Committee for three years

Howard Bates	175
J. Lewis Bates	114
Minot A. Browne	285
Norman Card	116
Barbara W. Churchill	510
Winslow S. Cobb	302
Robert B. James	328
Malcolm H. Stevens	469
Blanks	465

Board of Health for three years

Irving F. Sylvester	720
Frederick W. Sullivan	527
Blanks	135

Finance Committee for three years

Edwin W. Bates	581
Ralph H. Cahouet	476
Anthony M. Gonsalves	269
Milton L. Kerr	674
Blanks	767

Trustees Cohasset Free Public Library for three years

Oliver H. Howe	898
Marian D. Howe	806
Priscilla Gough	769
William S. Sidney	320
Blanks	1,353

Cohasset, March 9, 1929.

At an adjourned meeting held in the Ripley Road School at 2 p.m., the Moderator appointed and swore as Tellers, Henry E. Sweeney and Fred C. Blossom.

Article 3. To choose all Town Officers not required to be elected by ballot.

Voted to be appointed by the Selectmen.

Article 4. To act upon the reports of the various Town Officers as printed in the annual report for the year 1928.

Voted that all reports as printed in the Town Report be accepted.

The following sums of money were raised and appropriated under *Article* 5:

Folio		
1.	Moderator	$100.0
1*a*.	Finance Committee, expenses	150.0
2.	Selectmen and expenses	1,500.0

Folio		
3.	Auditor and Accountant and expenses	$2,500.00
4.	Treasurer and expenses	2,100.00
5.	Collector and expenses	2,100.00
6.	Assessors and expenses	2,000.00
7.	Other finance officers and accounts, registration of notes	20.00
8.	Law and legal counsel	750.00
9.	Town Clerk and expenses	900.00
10.	Engineering, maintenance	200.00
10*a*.	Engineering, outlay	500.00
10*b*.	Election and registration	1,250.00
11.	Town Hall	7,000.00
12.	Police Department	16,970.00
13.	Fire Department	17,539.00
	Voted that the following resolution be adopted: *Resolved*, That it is the sentiment of this Meeting that all the fire alarm boxes in the Town be permanently and effectively grounded to the satisfaction of the Wire Inspector.	
14.	Fire Department, hydrant service and water for public buildings	8,675.00
15.	Inspection of wires	1,000.00
16.	Sealing of weights and measures	400.00
17.	Insect pest extermination, moth suppression	5,500.00
18.	Tree Warden, general	2,350.00
19.	Forest fires	1,500.00
19*a*.	Bounties on seals	10.00
20.	Board of Health, general	3,620.00
20*a*.	Board of Health, tuberculosis hospital, Braintree	2,618.44
21.	Inspection of school children, dental dispensary	1,200.00
21*a*.	District Nurse	1,100.00
22.	Inspection of animals	150.00
22*a*.	Inspection of meat and provisions	50.00
22*b*.	Inspection of milk and vinegar	200.00
23.	Refuse and garbage disposal, town dumps	700.00

Folio		
24.	Care of brooks and streams, draining of ponds, Straits Pond, James Brook, Cat Dam, etc. .	$1,500.00
25.	Highways, general maintenance.	27,063.00
25*a*.	Highways, Fore River Bridge.	1,000.00
25*b*.	Highways, tarring streets.	6,500.00
26.	Highways, snow and ice removal, sanding streets.	6,500.00
27.	Street lighting.	9,754.36
28.	Street signs, fountains, etc.	210.00
29.	Harbor maintenance.	850.00
30.	Board of Public Welfare, general administration, Cohasset Home and Outside Poor.	17,115.00

Voted that the following resolution be adopted: That a special committee of five citizens be appointed by the Moderator to look into the matter of retaining or disposing of the Cohasset Home, said committee to work in conjunction with the Board of Public Welfare to report its recommendation to the Town at the next Town Meeting.

The following committee was appointed: Hollis T. Gleason, Charles E. Howe, John W. Lawrence, Edward L. Higgins, Frederick G. James.

31.	State aid.	216.00
32.	Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief.	1,100.00
33.	Schools, general maintenance.	76,590.00
34.	Libraries, general maintenance.	5,800.00
35.	Town commons and parks, general.	1,900.00
36.	Wheelwright Park.	650.00
37.	Wadleigh Park.	200.00
38.	Playgrounds, etc., baseball field.	500.00
38*a*.	Damages to persons and personal property. . .	100.00
39.	Fourth of July and other celebrations (indefinitely postponed)	
39*a*.	Memorial Day, etc.	650.00
40.	Town clock.	65.00

Folio		
41.	Town reports, printing, etc	$1,300.00
42.	Town flag	200.00
43.	Employers' Liability Insurance, not otherwise classified	150.00
44.	North Cohasset Post Office and Fire Department Building	200.00
45.	Guild, American Legion, and Volunteer Veteran Firemen's Association Hall	100.00
45*a*.	Parking place, maintenance	500.00
46.	Cemeteries	810.00
47.	Interest, on loans in anticipation of revenue	2,000.00
48.	Interest, general	4,720.00
49.	Loans, municipal indebtedness, bonds or notes from revenue	9,000.00
50.	Reserve Fund	4,000.00
	Total	$265,895.80

Article 6. Will the Town authorize the Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, to hire what money may be needed in anticipation of the taxes of the current year, to be paid as soon as money for the purpose is received?

Voted that the Town Treasurer, with the approval of the Selectmen, be and hereby is authorized to borrow money from time to time in anticipation of the revenue of the financial year beginning January 1, 1929, and to issue a note or notes therefor payable within one year, any debt or debts incurred under this vote to be paid from the revenue of said financial year.

Article 7. To hear the report of any committee hereto chosen, and act thereon.

Voted to adopt the following resolution:

Whereas: Mrs. Hugh Bancroft has made a gracious gift to the Town of Cohasset, of a substantial sum of money, to be used for equipment for the stage of the Town Hall.

Be it Resolved: That the citizens of the Town of Cohasset in the Town Meeting assembled, express their gratitude to Mrs. Bancroft for her generosity and public spirit,

And, *Be it further Resolved:* That these resolutions be spread upon the records of the Town, and a copy be sent to Mrs. Bancroft.

No committee reported in writing under this article.

Article 8. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the boards that have during the year 1928 appointed one of their members to another town office or position to continue this practice to May 1, 1929, as authorized by Chapter 371 of the Acts of 1928.

Voted in the affirmative.

Article 9. To see if the Town will vote to accept Sections 21 to 25, inclusive, of Chapter 136 of the General Laws as amended by Section 2, Chapter 406 of the Acts of 1928, permitting taking part in and witnessing any athletic outdoor sport or game on the Lord's Day between the hours of two and six in the afternoon, as provided therein, the charging of admission fees, taking collections or receiving remunerations in connection with which sport or game shall not be prohibited.

Voted in the affirmative.

Article 10. Will the Town appropriate from the "Sale of Lots and Graves" Fund, now $2,837.70, $750 for engineering in properly laying out and marking the lots, roadways and paths in the Woodside Cemetery; also appropriate from the same fund $1,000 to construct said roadways, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted that the Town appropriate from the "Sale of Lots and Graves" Fund the sums specified in said Article 10 for the purposes therein mentioned; also appropriate from the same fund the sum of $500 for the construction of a wall between the said cemetery and North Main Street and the tracks of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad Company, commencing at the entrance near the Hingham line and running northeasterly 300 feet more or less.

Article 11. Herbert E. Morse and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $300 to be used for the purpose of planting trees along driveways of the Woodside Cemetery in Cohasset, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 12. Roscoe G. Pratt and others. Will the Town vote to accept the provisions of Chapter 48, Section 42 of the General Laws relative to the Selectmen appointing a chief of the Fire Department?

Voted that Sections 42, 43 and 44 of Chapter 48 of the General Laws of Massachusetts relative to the establishment of a fire department under the control of a chief be and hereby are accepted.

Article 13. Frederick G. Roche and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money for the purpose of procuring and placing in the Town Hall, or other suitable location, metal engraved photographs of the Cohasset men who lost their lives in the World War, or act on anything relative thereto?

Voted that the sum of $550 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of purchasing metal engraved photographs of the five Cohasset men who lost their lives in the World War and placed in the Town Hall, and that the money be spent under the direction and supervision of the Board of Selectmen.

Article 14. Frederick G. Roche and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $250 for the purpose of rendering five public band concerts to be given by the Pond Plain Improvement Association Band of South Weymouth, one concert to be given at each of the following squares and on the dates specified:

George Henry Mealy Square, July 17, 1929.

Lawrence Barrett Williams Square, July 19, 1929.

John Warren Sidney Square, August 17, 1929.

Joseph Gonsalves Square, October 6, 1929.

Herman Edward Daley Square, October 14, 1929.

There concerts to be dedicated to the memory of the men who made the supreme sacrifice during the World War.

Voted in the negative.

Article 15. Will the Town raise and appropriate $5,000 or a sufficient sum of money to erect and construct a suitable building for the storage of the highway tools and equipment, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted in the negative.

Article 16. Will the Town authorize the Selectmen to dispose of the roller house and tractor shed, the same to be removed?

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 17. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sufficient amount of money to grade and prepare the ground on the southeasterly side of the Town Hall for a parking space?

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 18. To see what action the Town will take in connection with the rental or use of the Town Hall, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted to be under the jurisdiction of the Selectmen.

Article 19. Will the Town raise and appropriate a sufficient sum of money to install gymnastic appliances in the Town Hall, or act on anything relative thereto?

Voted in the negative.

Article 20. The Board of Health. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain for the purpose of a town dump land belonging to Aaron and Roscoe Pratt, located on the westerly side of Doane Street, consisting of about one acre, bounded westerly by stone wall of land formerly of Aaron Pratt, deceased; southwesterly by stone wall along land of owners unknown; southeasterly by other land of Aaron and Roscoe Pratt along an engineered line running between stakes and stones erected and now in place to mark the bound; and easterly by said Doane Street; and that the sum of $100 be raised and appropriated for the payment of any damages awarded as such for the taking of said land or for the purchase of same.

Voted that the Selectmen be and hereby are authorized and directed to take by eminent domain, for the purpose of a town dump, land belonging to Aaron and Roscoe Pratt, located on the westerly side of Doane Street, consisting of about one acre, bounded westerly by stone wall of land formerly of Aaron Pratt, deceased; southwesterly by a stone wall along land of owners unknown; southeasterly by other land of said Aaron and Roscoe Pratt along a line running between stakes and stones erected and now in place to mark the bound; and easterly by said Doane Street, and that the sum of $500 by and hereby is raised and

appropriated for the payment of any damages awarded for the taking of said land or the purchase of same. Yes, 204. No, 17.

Article 21. The Board of Health. To see if the Town will authorize its Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain proceedings such land as may be necessary for the purposes of clearing, widening, deepening, straightening, and otherwise enlarging James Brook (so-called) as a main drain or common sewer, as shown on a plan marked "James Brook," on file with the Town Clerk; and appropriate the sum of $45,000 for the above purposes and for said damages for said purchase or taking, or take any action relating thereto.

Voted that the matter be left with the Selectmen and the Board of Health, they to report their findings and recommendations at the next Annual Town Meeting.

Article 22. Joseph F. Kendall and others. To see if the Town will raise and appropriate a sum of money not to exceed $5,000, provided at least an equal amount is raised by private subscription, for eradication of mosquitoes through drainage or other means, and to act with the state, the county and/or any towns to accomplish the above stated purposes, or do anything in relation thereto.

Voted that the sum of $2,500 be raised and appropriated for the purpose of eradication of mosquitoes, provided an equal amount is raised by private subscription, this work to be done under the supervision of the State Authorities, providing the proposed bill of Senator Kincaide becomes a law at this session of the Legislature, otherwise to be spent under the supervision of the Cohasset Board of Health.

Article 23. Chancey W. Strickland and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $1,150 to repair and make Lambert's Lane, North Cohasset, a passable winter road, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $1,150.

Voted to adopt the following resolutions:

Resolved: That it is the sentiment of this meeting that the intent of the Australian ballot be fully practiced in the Town of Cohasset at all elections and that the Moderator acting at any election, State or Town, hereafter held in Cohasset, is hereby

requested not to allow the ballots to be counted until after the polls are closed.

Resolved: That it is the sentiment of this meeting that the Moderator appoint a committee of five to act jointly with the Selectmen to consider the advisability of restricting from business purposes the property north of Depot Court and adjacent to the Town Common; said committee to report their findings and recommendations at the next Town Meeting. Committee: O. H. Howe, M.D., Edwin Furber, E. E. H. Souther, Everett Gammons, Earl Cummingham.

Article 24. Thomas F. Kane and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $500 to lower the grade and build a concrete sidewalk on the west side of South Main Street from James Lane (so-called) and proceed south over the hill as far as money will go, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $500.

Article 25. George F. Sargent, Jr., and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $200 for the purpose of constructing a sidewalk, with a cement curb, on the northerly side of Doane Street, from Beechwood Street to the fire station lot?

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $150 and the expenditure left to the discretion of the Selectmen.

Article 26. George Jason and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $7,000 to rebuild with macadam a section of Jerusalem Road 1,320 feet long and 20 feet wide from West Corner easterly, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted that no money be raised and appropriated.

Article 27. George Jason and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $10,500 to widen, blast ledges, and drain Pond Street from the top of Nicherson's Hill (so-called) to and across Spring Street, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted that the sum of $8,200 be raised and appropriated.

Article 28. Will the Town raise and appropriate $4,000 or a sufficient sum of money to construct a concrete retaining wall at the rear of the central fire station at the Cove, or act on anything relating thereto.

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 29. Herbert Williams and others. Will the Town authorize and instruct its Selectmen to lease or transfer and convey to Joseph E. Grassie upon terms or conditions a certain portion of land alongside the Gulf River lying to the east of Gulf Bridge, so-called, for the purpose of erecting a bathhouse thereon, no part of which shall extend beyond or project above present street level, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 30. Joseph E. Grassie and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $400 for a new power sprayer or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted that the sum of $400 be raised and appropriated.

Article 31. Joseph L. Oliver and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $22 to install and maintain an additional electric light on Sohier Street between North Main and Green Streets, or act on anything relative thereto?

Voted that the sum of $22 be raised and appropriated.

Article 32. Louis J. Morris and others. Will the Town raise and appropriate the sum of $22 to install and maintain one electric street light on Hill Street, Lincoln Hillside, near new residence of Louis J. Morris, or act on anything relating thereto?

Voted to raise and appropriate the sum of $22.

Article 33. Elbridge W. Wyman and others. To see if the Town will adopt the additional following by-law:

"Great Dane dogs and dogs of the Great Dane species owned or kept in this Town shall not be permitted or allowed to be at large within the limits of said Town unless properly and securely muzzled, but shall at all other times be securely enclosed or chained. The owner or keeper of any such dog who violates or permits the violation of this by-law shall be fined not more than ten dollars for each offence."

Voted in the negative.

Article 34. Elbridge W. Wyman and others. To see if the Town will adopt the additional following by-law:

"No person shall keep within the Town Great Dane dogs and dogs of the Great Dane species for the purpose of breeding. The owner or keeper of any such dog who violates or permits

the violation of this by-law shall be fined ten dollars for each offence."

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 35. Manuel E. Salvador and others. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $5,000 for the purpose of dredging the harbor, one-half at least of said sum to be expended in the upper part of the harbor, or to take action in relation thereto.

Voted in the negative.

Voted that this meeting be dissolved.

Cohasset, September 10, 1929.

At a special primary held this day the following vote was cast:

Republican Ballots Cast for Senator
(Norfolk and Plymouth District)
(To fill vacancy)

Newland H. Holmes of Weymouth	10
William Lyman of Hull	3

Democratic Ballots Cast

John R. Parker of Rockland	6

Cohasset, September 24, 1929.

At a special election held this day to vote for a Senator for the Norfolk and Plymouth Senatorial District to fill a vacancy, the following vote was cast:

Newland H. Holmes of Weymouth	106
John R. Parker of Rockland	8
Fred G. Roche	1

Cohasset, November 9, 1929.

At a Special Meeting held this day the following articles were acted upon:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Chose William H. Morris, Moderator.

Article 2. To see if the Town will vote to reconsider or rescind any part or parts of the vote passed under Article 20, of the warrant for the annual Town Meeting held on March 9, 1929, whereby the town voted to purchase property for a dump, or act on anything relating thereto.

Voted in the affirmative.

Article 3. To see if the Town will authorize the Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain for the purpose of a Town dump and access thereto the land belonging to the legal representatives or heirs of Oliver H. Bates and situated in that part of Cohasset called Beechwood, consisting of about two hundred ninety-four rods, known as the Kent lot or Lot No. 9; together with an easement of right of way over a strip of land eighteen feet wide and extending from Doane Street to said lot and adjacent to the boundary line of land now or formerly of one Lincoln; to appropriate the sum of $1,000 from any free cash for the taking and purchase of the same and the construction of said way; or act on anything relating thereto.

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Voted that the following resolution be adopted:

It is hereby resolved that it is the sentment of this meeting that the Board of Health or the Board of Selectmen either or both construct a suitable access from Pond Street across and to a section of land belonging to the Town located on the Northwesterly side of Pond Street for a purpose of using a part of the Town's property for a Town dump.

Article 4. To see if the Town will authorize its officers having charge of highways to purchase or take by eminent domain such land or interest therein belonging to Grace E. Eustis as said officers deem necessary for the purpose of properly draining South Main Street; and appropriate $300 from any available funds for the construction of said drain and the acquiring the land necessary therefor; or act on anything relating thereto.

Voted that the Town officers having charge of highways be and hereby authorized as above stated, and that the sum of $400 be appropriated for said purpose.

Article 5. Will the Town appropriate from any available

funds in the treasury the amounts specified below for the purposes mentioned:

a. Removing snow and sanding streets	$1,000.00
b. Highways, general	500.00
c. Reserve Fund	1,000.00
d. Town Hall remodelling and other unpaid bills of previous years	437.43
	$2,937.43

Voted in the affirmative.

Article 6. Will the Town accept the bequest of the late Edith Mason Bates, under her will dated January 2, 1898, reading as follows:

"I hereby give the Town of Cohasset $1,500, and I hereby direct said town to use and employ said sum of $1,500 and any income that may be derived therefrom for the care and improvement of the Pond situated on the Common, near the Meeting House of the First Society in Cohasset, and for the improvement of said Common."

Voted that the Town accept the above bequest.

Article 7. To see if the Town will appropriate the sum of $500 from any unexpended balance in the treasury for the purpose of cutting and removing the underbrush or growth on the town pasture; the work to be done under the direction of the Board of Public Welfare at a rate of wages not exceeding $3 per day for each eight-hour day.

Voted that the sum of $500 be appropriated, the rate of wages not to exceed $5 per day.

Article 8. To see what action the Town will take regarding the erection of the proposed Memorial for the Veterans of all Wars, now being considered.

Article 9. To see if the Town will grant permission for the placing of the proposed War Memorial now being considered upon land deeded to the Town for public use known as the St. John lot.

Voted that Article 8 and 9 be postponed until the Annual March Meeting.

Cohasset, December 2, 1929.

At a Special Meeting held this day the following votes were taken:

Article 1. To choose a Moderator to preside in said meeting.

Chose William H. Morris, Moderator.

Article 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Board of Selectmen to purchase or take by eminent domain for the purpose of a Town dump, land belonging to Edwin Bates and Levi T. Lincoln, situated off the Easterly side of Beechwood Street and located at or near a crushed stone quarry, consisting of about two acres more or less, or any portion of said land or land adjoining the same; appropriate the sum of $1,200 from any available funds for the payment of any damages awarded as such for said taking, or for the purchase of same and constructing means of access thereto, and building wire fence.

Voted to indefinitely postpone.

Article 3. To see if the Town will appropriate from any available funds in the treasury the following amounts:

a. For Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief..... $200.00

b. For forest fires..... 300.00

Voted that the above amounts be appropriated.

Record of Births, Deaths and Marriages Recorded in 1929

BIRTHS

Total number of births was ninety-four.

There were forty-nine births where the parents were residents of other towns.

Of the forty-five whose parents were residents of Cohasset, thirty were females and fifteen were males.

MARRIAGES

Total number of marriages was forty-six, of which thirty-three were married in Cohasset.

DEATHS

Total number of deaths was seventy-one, and includes those who died in other towns or were brought here for burial; of the forty who were residents of Cohasset, twenty-one were females and nineteen were male.

The causes of death were as follows: pneumonia, 9; myocarditis, 5; cerebral hemorrhage, 4; nephritis, 4; accidental, 2; pulmonary embolism, 2; hemorrhage, 2; suicidal, 2; cancer, premature birth, prostatitis, disease of heart, angina pectoris, septic complications, bronchitis, peritonitis, gastro-enteritis, and locomotor ataxia, one each.

Parents be sure to record the birth of your child with given name in full.

READ THE LAW!

"Parents, within forty days after the birth of a child, and every householder, within forty days after a birth in his house, shall cause notice thereof to be given to the clerk of the town where such child is born. . . ." — Gen. Laws, Chap. 46, Sec. 6.

SOME OF THE MANY REASONS WHY BIRTHS SHOULD BE RECORDED

To establish identity.

To prove nationality.

To prove legitimacy.

To show when the child has the right to enter school.

To show when the child has the right to seek employment under the child labor law.

To establish the right of inheritance to property.

To establish liability to military duty, as well as exemption therefrom.

To establish the right to vote.

To qualify to hold title to, and to buy or sell real estate.

To establish the right to public office.

To prove the age at which the marriage contract may be entered into.

To make possible statistical studies of the health conditions.

Your coöperation to the end that all births may be properly recorded will be greatly appreciated.

HARRY F. TILDEN,
Town Clerk.

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1929

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents* *Mother's M. N.*
Jan. 2	Madeline Louise Levangie	Richard A. and Madeline A. (Arnold)
Jan. 6	Irving Mealy	E. Robert and Edith (Millett)
Jan. 8	Mary Conroy	Frank X. and Louise (Grassie)
Jan. 16	Philip Thornton Perkins	Louis W. and Julia S. (Hutchins)
Jan. 23	Cornelia Cunningham	Spurgan H. and Mary E. (Gilmore)
Feb. 5	Catherine Carew	Joseph M. and Catherine L. (McCormick)
Feb. 5	Caroline Cole Hollingsworth	Valentine and Reubina (McCormick)
Feb. 5	Florence Elaine Rose	Lloyd M. and Hazel M. (Studley)
Feb. 20	Beverly Brickett	Ralph M. and Thelma R. (Dusenberg)
Mar. 5	Ann Louise Withem	Arthur C. and Ethel J. (Ross)
Mar. 9	Jean Ann Tufts	Harold F. and Margaret (Copson)
Mar. 21	Frances Ann Bonanno	Santo and Catherine (Rizzotto)
Mar. 24	Paul Haley	Edward J. and Mary L. (Corkery)
Mar. 24	Palmeda Pina	Moses and Mary (Barrows)
Mar. 28	Robert Franklin Butman	Charles E. and Eleanor L. (Kennerson)
April 2	Carolyn Burrell Keith	James B. and Mizpah (Buckingham)
April 8	Edward Willcutt Woods	Carlton M. and Marion (Gibson)
April 8	Ernest John Campbell	Leslie and Ruth G. (Kennedy)
April 11	Francis Joseph Sullivan, Jr.	Francis J. and Marion V. (Tonry)
April 21	Alice Elizabeth Inman	Arthur H. and Margaret E. (Slaunwhite)
April 26	Marjorie Delacour Dean	Russell and Dorothy (Rainsford)
May 14	Agnes Joan Fisher	George C. and Madeline E. (Nason)
May 15	Robert Eugene Buckler	James J. and Vera B. (Snell)
May 15	James Lebel	John B. and Anna L. (O'Brien)

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1929 — Continued

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents* *Mother's M. N.*
May 17	Marylyn Jean Jackson	Charles E. and Blanche I. (Crout)
May 20	Grace May Beal	Reginald R. and Grace R. (Grassie)
May 22	James Albert O'Brien, Jr.	James A. and Helena F. (Smart)
May 27	John Stephen Kelly, Jr.	John S. and Katherine J. (Manning)
May 27	Barbara Marie Flaherty	John H. and Katherine (Maguire)
May 30	David Graham Hendrie	Percy M. and Margaret F. (Graham)
June 1	Charles Theodore Patrolia	Clarence M. and Anna (Steele)
June 3	Susan Higginson	Charles and Rebekah (Robinson)
June 16	William Lennon	William Emmett and Katherine M. Larkin
June 17	Bernard Joseph Salvador	Bernard J. and Bessie Millman
June 18	Virginia Hastings	Edward R. Jr. and Virginia Blackmer
June 26	Mary Pamela Etheridge	William Hill and Olive J. Nickerson
June 28	Mary Corrine Shirley Ainslie	Sherwood C. and Isabel (De Mello)
June 28	Ruth Spaulding	Lewis W. and Evelyn (Richards)
July 1	Helen Mary Litchfield	Harold W. and Margaret M. (Gildea)
July 1	—— Bowser	George and Mabel (Gardner)
July 1	Anna Bemis	Alan C. and Mary (Chafin)
July 3	Barbara Alice Carr	Edward F. and Alice E. (Jason)
July 3	Carol Ross	Douglas R. and Bessie L. (Carroll)
July 5	Margot Patricia Foley	Mason A. and Frances C. (Laughrea)
July 8	Richard Cunningham Ware	Richard C. and Marjory (Cabot)
July 9	Helen Tower	Sargent F. and Helen (Gould)
July 9	Herbert Slade Poole	Herbert S. and Dorothy E. (Todd)
July 23	Doris Ellen Taft	William H. and Catherine M. (Smith)

July 31	Jane Cox	William C. and Jessie (Bancroft)
Aug. 1	Joseph Lee Colt	Charles C. and Amy (Lee)
Aug. 7	Richardson White	Richardson and Cornelia D. (Hallowell)
Aug. 13	Arthur Ernest Bjorland	Allin L. and Charlotte (Apts)
Aug. 13	Doris Claire Tracy	Clare and Anna J. (Brasill)
Aug. 20	Elizabeth Mabel Culliney	Thomas F. and Mabel E. (Pratt)
Aug. 23	Janet Thomson	James (Jr.) and Margaret (Eager)
Aug. 25	Robert Townsend Hoyt	Richard F. and Eva M. (Townsend)
Aug. 28	Carol Elizabeth James	Percival N. and Ida M. (James)
Aug. 30	Lucinda May Gibson	Luther W. and Lucinda M. (Davis)
Sept. 4	—— Hall	Henry S. (Jr.) and Lydia L. (Storer)
Sept. 4	Dorothy Jean Hughes	John F. and Dorothy C. (Nyham)
Sept. 7	Charles A. Sullivan, Jr.	Charles A. and Jane F. (McDonald)
Sept. 8	John Joseph McHugh	Richard L. and Alicia H. (Alemida)
Sept. 10	Philomena Elizabeth Nardo	Nicholas and Raphaella (Andraechio)
Sept. 16	Mary Louise Ayers	Frank P. and Irene M. (Oliver)
Sept. 24	Edward Stanley Brady, Jr.	Edward S. and Rose M. (Hernan)
Sept. 25	Charles Adolf Mosher	Lester L. and Anna M. (Sammet)
Sept. 28	Sarah Neidlinger } Twins	Lloyd K. and Marion (Walker)
Sept. 28	Susan Neidlinger } Twins	
Oct. 2	Margaret Louise Sullivan	James J. (Jr.) and Louise (Hyland)
Oct. 3	Herbert Elwood Morse, Jr.	Herbert E. and Dorothy C. (Cooper)
Oct. 6	Frances Rose Henry	Charles and Frances (Dolan)
Oct. 10	Gladys Alden Hill	Arthur A. and Flora (Dowden)
Oct. 10	Nazzerno Di Vito, Jr.	Nazzerno and Georgianna J. (Calvi)
Oct. 16	John Rosamond, Jr. } Twins	John C. and Kathleen L. (Dargon)
Oct. 16	Lois Rosamond } Twins	
Oct. 18	Brian Richardson	William H. and Isabel F. (Butler)
Oct. 24	Catherine Caparotta	Nicholas and Josephine (Zona)
Oct. 26	Ann Elizabeth Enos	Abraham and Helena F. (Donovan)
Oct. 28	Mary Wheelwright	Josiah and Lois (Curtis)
Oct. 30	Edvia May Andrews	Albert L. and May J. (Bellefontaine)

BIRTHS FOR THE YEAR 1929 — Concluded

Date	*Name of Child*	*Parents* *Mother's M: N.*
Nov. 1	Helen Catherine Disnard	George D. and Catherine I. (Ostrander)
Nov. 3	Carol Margaret Powers	John J. and Charlotte A. (Karrer)
Oct. 7	Henry Barclay Yerxa	Percy S. and Katherine E. (Brown)
Oct. 12	Robert Wallace Figueiredo	Louis J. and Blanche M. (Wallace)
Dec. 3	Barbara Louise Wholey	John T. and Madeline (Noonan)
Dec. 6	Howard Francis Fettig, Jr.	Howard F. and Ann L. (McCarthy)
Dec. 7	Arthur Lincoln Barton	Robert O. and Rachael L. (Beeler)
Dec. 8	Slavatore William Signovelli	Salvatore and Anna (Montisano)
Dec. 13	Jane Montgomery	Guy and Julia (Benner)
Dec. 26	Nancy Scripture	Ralph E. and Helen (Eglee)
Dec. 27	Leslie Stelin MacKenzie	Leavitt B. and Vivian S. (Henningsen)

BIRTHS NOT BEFORE REPORTED

1925		
Aug. 30	George Richard Wagner, Jr	George R. and May
Oct. 13	Thomas Walter Hernan, Jr.	Thomas W. and Laura A. Pratt
1926		
April 10	James Francis Collins, Jr.	James F. and Marion E. Pratt
1927		
April 7	Mary Rose Signorilli	Salvatore and Annie Montisano
July 6	Donald Charles Hernan	Thomas W. and Laura A. Pratt
1928		
May 4	Theresa Signorilli	Salvatore and Annie Montisano
Dec. 10	Charles Glover Thompson	Richard C. and Margaret Peterson

MARRIAGES FOR THE YEAR 1929

Date	*Names*	*Residence*	*Married*
Jan. 19	Thomas Elott Bowser, Jr.	Cohasset	
	Freda Chappell Crawford	Malden	At Malden by Rev. Ernest L. Loomis
Jan. 20	Abraham Joseph Antoine, Jr.	Cohasset	
	Francis Rita O'Connor	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
Feb. 6	Harry Webster Seymour	Cohasset	
	Elizabeth Adams Valine	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Cornelius F. O'Leary
Feb. 14	Edgar Turner Brickett	Cohasset	
	Miriam Elizabeth Muirhead	Cohasset	At Hingham by Rev. Andrew S. Muirhead
Mar. 6	Clare Tracy	Dalton, Ohio	
	Anna Julia Brasill	Cohasset	At Weymouth by Rev. John W. Annas
Mar. 7	George C. Cornell	Brookline	
	Muriel Elizabeth Holmes	Brookline	At Cohasset by Rev. Fred V. Stanley
Mar. 10	Luther Warner Gibson	Natick	
	Lucinda May Savin	Natick	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson
Mar. 11	William Elmer Snow	Cohasset	
	Adeline (Priest) Tisdale	Cohasset	At Hingham by Rev. Clarence E. Southard
Mar. 13	Albert Loring Litchfield	Cohasset	
	Virginia (Leighton) Gonsalves	Cohasset	At Hingham by Rev. Clarence E. Southard
Mar. 20	Richard D. Savage	Cohasset	
	Helen Bertha Tracey	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
Mar. 30	E. Clayton Hyland	Cohasset	
	Carrie Gertrude (Pratt) Litchfield	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Fred V. Stanley
April 17	Atwood Ingalls Ainslie	Cohasset	
	Maria Belle (Bellyea) White	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Henry B. Mason

MARRIAGES FOR THE YEAR 1929 — Continued

Date	*Names*	*Residence*	*Married*
April 22	Thomas Francis Culliney	Scituate	
	Mabel Emma Pratt	Cohasset	At Boston by Thomas H. King, J. P.
April 24	Denis John Desmond	Cohasset	
	Katherine Agnes Gillen	Cambridge	At Cambridge by Rev. Jeremiah F. Moriarty
May 15	Joseph Gordon Enos	Cohasset	
	Alice Catherine Burns	Hingham	At Hingham by Rev. P. J. McCormack
June 10	Charles Edward Henry	Cohasset	
	Frances Rose Dolan	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
June 15	William H. Ryan	Brighton	
	Mildred A. Widnur	Roslindale	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson
June 22	Henry Clifford Gayley	New York, N. Y.	
	Sarah Veronica Gordon	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
June 22	Percy Blaney High	Marblehead	
	Vera Rose Ceffi	Dorchester	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson
June 23	Joseph A. Janard	Provincetown	
	Helen Silvia	Provincetown	At Cohasset by Rev. Arthur Lyons
June 27	Milton Joseph Ferreira	Cohasset	
	Eileen May Moren	Rockland	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
July 1	Charles Codman Cabot	Brookline	
	Ellen Phelps (White) Sears	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Frederic J. Gould
July 20	Albert Eccles	Fall River	
	Helen E. (Bushell) Martin	Fall River	At Cohasset by Rev. Frank B. McAllister
July 23	William John Burke	New York, N. Y.	
	Mary Agnes Durkin	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
July 23	Charles Sherman Sholes, Jr.	East Weymouth	
	Lucy Lillian Silvia	Cohasset	At Weymouth by Winfield S. Randall

Aug. 17	Manuel Gomes	Scituate	
	Emma Barlow Markham	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Fred V. Stanley
Aug. 17	Roland Deming Earle	Cohasset	
	Helen Frances Millar	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Fred V. Stanley
Aug. 20	Henry Bernard Kennedy	Cohasset	
	Eleanor Irene Whitney	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
Aug. 24	Thomas McCarron	Methuen	
	Mary Hennetta McInnis	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
Aug. 27	Hugh Crooks	Elizabeth, N. J.	
	Leah Rodger Kinniburgh	Cohasset	At Hingham by Rev. Andrew S. Muirhead
Aug. 31	Joseph E. MacDonald	Weymouth	
	Julia Lillian A. Lyons	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
Sept. 14	John Bishop	Cohasset	
	Virginia Ayers	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson
Sept. 21	John Russell Norton	Newton	
	Mary Caldwell Woolfolk	Pittsburgh	At Cohasset by Rev. Laurens MacLure
Sept. 21	William McLellan Ross	Cohasset	
	Ruth Margaret Hynes	Cohasset	At Scituate by Rev. Allan D. Creelman
Oct. 5	Fred M. Webster	Brockton	
	Helen Augusta Studley	Rockland	At Cohasset by Rev. Fred V. Stanley
Oct. 7	Victor Allan Brown	Quincy	
	Alice Margaret Brown	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Fred V. Stanley
Oct. 17	Jerome Ferdinand Wadsworth	Norwell	
	Dorothy Lothrop Nichols	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Frederic J. Gauld
Oct. 19	Leland Towle	Cohasset	
	Bertha Mary Hill	Hooksett, N. H.	At Manchester, N. H. by Rev. George R.Hazard
Oct. 22	Edgar L. Hyland, Jr.	Scituate	
	Dorothy H. Wilder	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless
Nov. 3	John G. Rose	Scituate	
	Eleanora M. Matthews	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Cornelius F. O'Leary
Nov. 4	Ralph Linnell Wood	Cohasset	
	Hazel Marguerite Cann	East Weymouth	At Weymouth by Rev. Nathan B. Burton

MARRIAGES FOR THE YEAR 1929—Concluded

Date	*Names*	*Residence*	*Married*
Nov. 9	Morgan Robert Day	Scituate	
	Helen Isabel Lee	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson
Nov. 17	Frank Jedneck	Cohasset	
	Alice Frances Silvia	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Charles C. Wilson
Nov. 23	Robert O'Connell	Quincy	
	Evelyn Augusta Gooding	Cohasset	At Cohasset by Rev. Frederic J. Gauld
Nov. 28	Joseph Leo Meehan	Cohasset	
	Lillian Peggy Lasher	Weymouth	At Cohasset by Rev. John B. Holland
Dec. 29	Augustus Lowell Newcomb	Scituate	
	Henrietta R. E. Bean	Scituate	At Cohasset by Rev. Joseph P. Lawless

DEATHS FOR THE YEAR 1929

Date	Name	Age Y.	Age M.	Age D.	Birthplace	Parents
Jan. 8	Mary Conroy	0	0	3 hr.	Cohasset	Frank X. and Louise (Grassie)
Jan. 16	Sarah E. (Shaw) Nudd	73	2	27	Charleston, S. C.	Abisha B. and Theresa (Slatter)
Jan. 23	Harrison Phipps Snow	91	10	16	Cohasset	Ephraim and Margaret (Stephenson)
Jan. 25	Charles V. Barnes	78	5	9	Cohasset	Albert V. and Miriam W. (Barnes)
Jan. 27	Marianna Jason	57	5	12	Cohasset	Joseph and Mary A. (Martin)
Jan. 27	Bessie L. (Crocker) Dion	44	0	0	Cohasset	William E. and Fannie (Lincoln)
Jan. 28	Antoine Francis Del Gardo	67	11	14	Azores	Emanuel F. and Julia (Bolten)
Jan. 28	Lavina E. (Wheelwright) Young	72	4	16	Cohasset	Louis and Mary (Sheldon)
Feb. 2	Ida (Glover) Peterson	59	1	2	Hartford, Conn.	Charles and Margaret (Wainwright)
Feb. 12	Mary I. (Periea) Antoine	81	10	6	Azores	Manuel and Louise A. (Rose)
Feb. 14	Mary F. (Grassie) Sullivan	37	10	6	Cohasset	Joseph E. and Mary A. (Reilly)
Feb. 19	Mary M. (Ferguson) Blossom	51	4	16	Camullas, N. Y.	Duncan F. and Mary L. (Bissett)
Mar. 18	T. Frank Kane	62	11	15	Scituate	Patrick and Hannah (Burke)
Mar. 31	Wilbur E. Lee	76	4	18	Lewis, N. Y.	Horace O. and Emmaroy (Nichols)
April 5	George Ide	36	9	15	———	———
April 5	Charles W. Studley	55	9	29	Cohasset	Edwin B. and Melissa (Eastman)
April 13	John Gilbert Smith	3	2	0	Hull	Reginald S. and Lena (Kreitman)
April 15	Josephine Foniri	0	7	3	———	———
April 17	George Thomas Ainslie	68	5	14	Cohasset	Robert and Eliza (Day)
April 19	George Byron Gough	58	4	25	Hingham	Francis W. and Harriet (Leighton)
May 1	Flurena (Griffin) Stewart	73	0	28	Nova Scotia	Thomas C. and Rebecca R. (Rockwell)
May 2	Alice F. (Brasill) Ferreira	61	9	3	Cohasset	Manuel S. and Julia R. (Silvia)
May 5	Waldo Washington Locke	35	0	24	Cohasset	Waldo C. and Lucinda P. (Reed)
May 7	Doris Everlyn Benjamin	29	4	8	Weymouth	Frederick W. and Clara E. (Saunders)
May 20	Joseph Cuoco	59	0	0	Italy	Lawrence ———

DEATHS FOR THE YEAR 1929 — Concluded

Date	Name	Age Y.	Age M.	Age D.	Birthplace	Parents
May 26	Edward Whitcomb Wetherbee	73	6	23	Bath, Me.	Lebia and Sophia (Cook)
June 6	Pliney T. Frost	72	5	3	Charleston, N. H.	George and Sarah (Stoddard)
June 12	Nancy Caverly	22	0	0	Ireland	James and Margaret (Conner)
June 12	Edwin Francis Souther	83	0	7	Cohasset	Edwin and Harriett (Farrar)
June 26	John Cottle	43	0	0	Nova Scotia	George and Elizabeth (Dudley)
July 1	Alice H. (Crane) Kellogg	72	1	27	Cheshire	Augustus and Mary J. (Stetson)
July 1	——— Bowser	0	0	3 hr.	Boston	George T. and Mabel (Gardner)
July 4	George Arthur Morse	3	0	26	Cohasset	——— Marian E. (Morse)
July 6	Mabel (Gardner) Bowser	30	0	0	London, N. H.	Hiram and Sarah (Eggard)
July 7	Marguerite M. Barrows	11	0	18	Cohasset	Antonio M. and Lucindade (de Jesus)
July 16	Irving Mealy	0	6	11	Cohasset	E. Robert and Edith (Millett)
July 27	Francisco Jammio	54	0	0	———	———
Aug. 1	——— Forniri	0	0	1	———	———
Aug. 4	Ida M. (Olson) Nilson	62	0	0	Sweden	Jonas P. and ——— (Landstram)
Aug. 5	Sarah E. (Antoine) Valine	80	8	17	Cohasset	Manuel F. and Elizabeth A. (Rose)
Aug. 25	Albert H. Ellis	38	0	0	Rochester, N. H.	George and Ida (Blake)
Sept. 1	George Parker Tower	64	7	0	Cohasset	Newcomb B. and Sophronia L. (Parker)
Sept. 6	——— Hall	0	0	2	Cohasset	Henry S. (Jr.) and Lydia L. (Stover)
Sept. 21	Maria (Iamello) Migliaccio	55	0	1	Italy	Francesco and ———
Sept. 22	Albert L. Brown	82	1	16	Auburn, N. H.	John F. and Phoebe (Gould)
Sept. 23	Annie B. (Keep) Crocker	85	0	1	Longmeadow	Nathan C. and Susan P. (Haskell)
Sept. 26	Katherine McDonald	38	0	0	Ireland	Movries and Katherine (McGlaughin)
Sept. 28	Mary E. (Smith) Abbott	51	4	6	Fall River	George H. and Cynthia H. (Hatherway)
Oct. 4	Adelaide L. Stetson	77	3	24	———	———

Oct. 5	Caroline R. (Bates) Despard	75	7	0	Boston	Russell and Margaret K. (Shaw)
Oct. 7	Gladys K. (Hill) Samonski	44	0	0	Newport, R. I.	Harry E. and Eliza J. (Allison)
Oct. 11	Stephen Hetue	15	1	27	Cohasset	Harry A. and Elizabeth B. (Reilly)
Oct. 19	Ruth (Williams) Sears	53	5	21	West Roxbury	Thomas B. and Alice (Weld)
Oct. 21	Margaret H. (Corbitt) Richardson	46	10	23	Brookline	William and Margaret (Burns)
Oct. 25	Ida B. (Gardner) Bates	71	0	0	Scituate	Enoch C. and Sarah (Chamberlain)
Oct. 31	Annie E. Wood	75	0	18	———	———
Nov. 1	Philip Mansfield	54	11	22	———	———
Nov. 17	Elizabeth A. (Burbank) James	80	2	0	Cohasset	Timothy L. and Adeline (Souther)
Nov. 20	Alexander S. Hiltz	59	7	13	Nova Scotia	Henry and Mary E. (Morse)
Nov. 20	Leslie Whiting	40	7	16	Boston	Leslie and Edner (Learned)
Nov. 22	Antoine Salvador	69	0	0	Azores	John M. and Mary (Basina)
Dec. 1	Bessie E. (Miner) Ellsworth	50	11	18	Nova Scotia	Whitman and Susan (Newcomb)
Dec. 10	Joseph Jason	73	0	0	Cohasset	Joseph and Mary A. (Martin)
Dec. 14	John Cummings	65	2	17	Scituate	Edward and Margaret (Flynn)
Dec. 18	Gustavus F. Alden	66	9	14	———	———
Dec. 21	Edward L. Maguire	43	0	0	Providence, R. I.	Edward and ———
Dec. 23	Katherine Rogers	73	0	0	Azores	Frank and Katherine (Grassie)
Dec. 24	Julianna O'Brien	59	0	0	Cohasset	James and Mary (Sheehan)

REPORT OF AN AUDIT OF THE ACCOUNTS OF THE TOWN OF COHASSET

For the period from April 1, 1928, to November 30, 1929

Made in Accordance with the Provisions of Chapter 44, General Laws

January 28, 1930.

To the Board of Selectmen
Mr. William O. Souther, Jr., Chairman
Cohasset, Massachusetts

Gentlemen: I submit herewith my report of an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Cohasset for the period from April 1, 1928, to November 30, 1929, made in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 44 of the General Laws. This report is in the form of a report made to me by Mr. Edward H. Fenton, Chief Accountant of this Division.

Very truly yours,

THEODORE N. WADDELL,
Director of Accounts.

Mr. Theodore N. Waddell
Director of Accounts
Department of Corporations and Taxation
State House, Boston

Sir: In accordance with your instructions, I have made an audit of the books and accounts of the Town of Cohasset for the period from April 1, 1928, the date of the previous audit, to November 30, 1929, and report thereon as follows:

The books and accounts of the town accountant were examined and checked, the recorded receipts being compared with the records of the several departments collecting money for the Town and with the treasurer's cash book.

The ledger was analyzed, a trial balance taken off, and a balance sheet, which is appended to this report, was prepared

showing the financial condition of the Town as of November 30, 1929.

The books and accounts of the town treasurer were examined and checked. The receipts, as recorded on the cash book, were checked with the records in the several departments collecting money for the Town and with the other sources from which money was paid into the town treasury.

The cash balance was verified by an actual count of the cash in the office and by a reconciliation with a statement furnished by the Rockland Trust Company.

The accounts of the tax collector were examined and checked. The commitments of taxes were verified, and the recorded receipts were compared with the payments to the treasurer. The abatements were listed and checked to the assessors' records of abatements granted, and the outstanding accounts were listed and compared with the accountant's ledger.

The outstanding accounts were further proved by mailing verification notices to a number of persons whose names appeared on the books as owing money to the Town. Among the replies received were four from persons claiming payment of taxes. Upon investigation it was found that three of these accounts had been paid but had not been posted by the collector. The fourth claim is being further investigated. Corrections have been made and, with the above exceptions, the outstanding accounts, as listed, are correct.

The securities and savings bank books, representing the investments of the trust funds in the custody of the town treasurer, the trustees of the Cohasset Free Public Library, and the trustees of the Paul Pratt Memorial Library, were examined and listed. The income was proved and the disbursements were verified.

The debt and interest payments made during the period of the audit were checked with the cancelled checks and notes on file.

It was noted, in checking disbursements, that the amount of $11,009.50, received on account of insurance for damage by fire to the Osgood School, had been used for repairs and for replace-

ment of equipment, although no appropriation had been made therefor by the Town.

In addition to the departments mentioned, the accounts of the town clerk, of the sealer of weights and measures, and of the police, fire, school and library departments, were examined and checked with the payments to the treasurer.

The records of the selectmen, board of health, wire inspector, town infirmary, and of the highway department were incomplete and therefore could not be properly verified. It is recommended that these departments keep adequate records which will lend themselves to proper audit.

Attention was called to the fact that in November, 1929, the superintendent of schools paid salaries of employees and purchased supplies from receipts from school lunches, this being contrary to the provisions of Section 53, Chapter 44, General Laws. Assurance was given that this practice will be discontinued.

Appended to this report, in addition to the balance sheet, are tables showing a reconciliation of the treasurer's cash, summaries of the taxes and assessments, together with tables relative to the trust fund transactions.

For the coöperation received from the several town officials during the progress of the audit, I wish, on behalf of my assistants and for myself, to express appreciation.

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD H. FENTON,
Chief Accountant.

RECONCILIATION OF TREASURER'S CASH

Balance April 1, 1928		$48,279.55	
Receipts April 1 to December 31, 1928		400,012.82	
			$448,292.37
Payments April 1 to December 31, 1928		$411,914.94	
Balance December 31, 1928		36,377.43	
			$448,292.37
Balance January 1, 1929		$36,377.43	
Receipts January 1 to November 30, 1929		440,478.86	
			$476,856.29
Payments January 1 to November 30, 1929		$372,307.60	
Balance November 30, 1929:			
Cash in office (verified)	$86.25		
Bank balances:			
Rockland Trust Company of Rockland	104,344.71		
Hingham Trust Company of Hingham	1.48		
Payments in advance of warrants	116.25		
		$104,548.69	
			$476,856.29

ROCKLAND TRUST COMPANY OF ROCKLAND

Balance November 30, 1929, per statement	$110,737.96	
Deposit December 2, 1929 (verified)	343.11	
		$111,081.07
Balance November 30, 1929, per check register	$104,344.71	
Outstanding checks November 30, 1929, per list	6,736.36	
		$111,081.07

HINGHAM TRUST COMPANY OF HINGHAM

Balance November 30, 1929, per statement		$50.48
Balance November 30, 1929, per check register	$1.48	
Outstanding checks November 30, 1929, per list	49.00	
		$50.48

TAXES, 1925

Cash on hand April 1, 1928, per previous audit		$36.74
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 30, 1929		$36.74

TAXES, 1926

Outstanding April 1, 1928, per previous audit			$2,747.48
Payments to treasurer April 1 to December 31, 1928		$2,141.36	
Abatements April 1 to December 31, 1928		23.03	
Tax titles taken April 1 to December 31, 1928		405.39	
Outstanding December 31, 1928		177.70	
			$2,747.48
Outstanding January 1, 1929		$177.70	
Audit adjustments:			
Overabatement	$1.23		
Moth 1926 tax title reported as taxes	1.14		
Unlocated difference	.01		
		2.38	
			$180.08
Tax titles taken January 1 to November 30, 1929			$180.08

TAXES, 1927

Outstanding April 1, 1928, per previous audit			$30,092.77
Payments to treasurer April 1 to December 31, 1928		$19,525.11	
Abatements April 1 to December 31, 1928		207.16	
Added to tax titles April 1 to December 31, 1928		400.40	
Outstanding December 31, 1928		9,960.10	
			$30,092.77
Outstanding January 1, 1929		$9,960.10	
Audit adjustments:			
Duplicate abatement	$2.00		
Moth 1927 reported as taxes	1.14		
Moth 1927 tax title reported as taxes	1.14		
		4.28	
			$9,964.38
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 30, 1929		$8,247.90	
Abatements January 1 to November 30, 1929	$525.07		
Abatement not previously reported	22.32		
		547.39	
Tax titles taken January 1 to November 30, 1929	$313.39		
Added to tax titles January 1 to November 30, 1929	177.87		
		491.26	
Error in reporting of tax titles 1928		.04	
Outstanding November 30, 1929, per list		677.79	
			$9,964.38

TAXES, 1928

Commitment per warrant	$270,608.36		
Additional commitment..	81.01		
		$270,689.37	
Abatement after payment, refunded.		12.90	
			$270,702.27
Payments to treasurer 1928.....		$211,744.06	
Abatements 1928.....		619.24	
Outstanding December 31, 1928.....		58,338.97	
			$270,702.27
Outstanding January 1, 1929.....		$58,338.97	
Abatement after payment, refunded..		10.32	
Adjustments:			
Commitment list in excess of warrant.....	$0.05		
Unlocated difference (adjusted)	.01		
		.06	
			$58,349.35
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 30, 1929.....		$44,363.21	
Abatements January 1 to November 30, 1929.....		368.62	
Adjustments:			
Abatements not previously entered.....	$14.90		
Added to tax titles.....	327.66		
		342.56	
Outstanding November 30, 1929, per list.....		13,274.96	
			$58,349.35

TAXES, 1929

Commitment per warrant	$251,272.19		
Additional commitment..	60.00		
		$251,332.19	
Abatement after payment, refunded..		2.00	
			$251,334.19

Payments to treasurer to November 30, 1929	$193,257.76	
Abatements to November 30, 1929	586.76	
Adjustment:		
Added to tax titles	544.57	
Outstanding November 30, 1929, per list	56,945.10	
		$251,334.19

MOTOR VEHICLE EXCISE TAXES, 1929

Commitment per warrants		$14,515.87	
Abatements after payment, refunded		91.62	
Adjustments:			
Overpayments, to be refunded	$0.31		
Error in recording abatements	.02		
		.33	
			$14,607.82

Payments to treasurer to November 30, 1929	$9,388.68	
Abatements to November 30, 1929	965.51	
Outstanding November 30, 1929, per list	4,253.63	
		$14,607.82

MOTH ASSESSMENTS, 1926

Outstanding April 1, 1928 per previous audit		$11.17
Payments to treasurer April 1 to December 31, 1928	$10.03	
Outstanding December 31, 1928	1.14	
		$11.17

Outstanding January 1, 1929.....		$1.14
Audit adjustment:		
Moth 1926 tax title reported as taxes 1926.....		$1.14

MOTH ASSESSMENTS, 1927

Outstanding April 1, 1928, per previous audit.....		$76.34
Payments to treasurer April 1 to December 31, 1928.....	$50.91	
Outstanding December 31, 1928, per list.....	25.43	
		$76.34

Outstanding January 1, 1929.....			$25.43
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 30, 1929.....		$19.74	
Audit adjustments:			
Moth 1927 tax title reported as taxes 1927.....	$1.14		
Moth 1927 reported as taxes 1927.....	1.14		
		2.28	
Outstanding November 30, 1929, per list.....		3.41	
			$25.43

MOTH ASSESSMENTS, 1928

Commitment per warrant.....		$349.60
Payments to treasurer 1928.....	$286.48	
Abatements 1928.....	3.20	
Outstanding December 31, 1928.....	59.92	
		$349.60

Outstanding January 1, 1929.....		$59.92
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 30, 1929.....	$34.71	
Outstanding November 30, 1929, per list.....	25.21	
		$59.92

DOG LICENSES

Licenses issued December 1, 1927, to November 30, 1928:		
202 Males, at $2.00.....	$404.00	
22 Spayed females, at $2	44.00	
53 Females, at $5.....	265.00	
1 Breeder, at $25.....	25.00	
		$738.00
Payments to county treasurer to November 30, 1928.....	$682.40	
Fees retained by town clerk, 278 at 20 cents.	55.60	
		$738.00
Licenses issued December 1, 1928, to November 30, 1929:		
210 Males, at $2.....	$420.00	
29 Spayed females, at $2.....	58.00	
57 Females, at $5.....	285.00	
1 Breeder, at $25.....	25.00	
		$788.00
Payments to county treasurer to November 30, 1929.....	$726.80	
Fees retained by town clerk, 297 at 20 cents..	59.40	
Cash on hand November 30, 1929 (verified)..	1.80	
		$788.00

HUNTING AND FISHING LICENSES

Licenses issued 1928		$380.25
Payments to Department of Fisheries and Game in 1928	$335.50	
Fees retained by town clerk	44.75	
		$380.25

Licenses issued January 1 to December 16, 1929:		
Resident citizens' sporting, 135 at $2.25	$303.75	
Resident citizens' trapping, 11 at $2.25	24.75	
Minor trappers', 24 at 75 cents	18.00	
Lobster fishermen's for:		
Resident citizens', 16 at $5	80.00	
Aliens, 2 at $5	10.00	
Duplicates, 1 at 50 cents	.50	
		$437.00

Payments to Department of Fisheries and Game to November 30, 1929	$391.30	
Fees retained by town clerk	45.20	
Cash on hand December 16, 1929 (verified)	.50	
		$437.00

TOWN HALL RENTALS

Charges January 1 to November 30, 1929	$373.27	
Charges not previously recorded	470.70	
		$843.97

Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 30, 1929	$751.46	
Outstanding November 30, 1929	92.51	
		$843.97

Outstanding December 1, 1929	$92.51	
Charges December 1 to 17, 1929	21.10	
		$113.61

Payments to treasurer December 1 to 17, 1929	$16.30	
Outstanding December 17, 1929, per list	97.31	
		$113.61

FIRE DEPARTMENT

Accounts Receivable

Charges April 1 to December 31, 1928		$29.15
Payments to treasurer April 1 to December 31, 1928	$23.45	
Outstanding December 31, 1928	5.70	
		$29.15

Outstanding January 1, 1929	$5.70	
Charges January 1 to November 30, 1929	12.09	
		$17.79

Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 30, 1929	$10.65	
Outstanding November 30 and December 17, 1929, per list	7.14	
		$17.79

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Receipts April 1 to December 31, 1928:		
School lunches	$2,939.47	
Telephone charges	1.00	
Supplies sold	11.52	
Rent of school hall	370.00	
		$3,321.99

Payments to treasurer April 1 to December 31, 1928	$2,941.49	
Cash on hand December 31, 1928	380.50	
		$3,321.99

Cash on hand January 1, 1929		$380.50	
Receipts January 1 to November 30, 1929:			
School lunches	$4,365.65		
Telephone charges	66.38		
Supplies sold	217.28		
Rent of school hall	127.00		
		4,776.31	
			$5,156.81
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 30, 1929		$4,690.81	
Cash on hand November 30, 1929		466.00	
			$5,156.81
Cash on hand December 1, 1929		$466.00	
Receipts December 1 to 20, 1929:			
School lunches		452.00	
			$918.00
Payments to treasurer December 1 to 20, 1929		$455.67	
Disbursements by superintendent December 1 to 20, 1929:			
Supplies	$381.33		
Salaries	80.00		
		461.33	
Cash on hand December 20, 1929 (verified)		1.00	
			$918.00

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT

Outstanding April 1, 1928, care of lots and graves		$46.00	
Charges April 1 to December 31, 1928:			
Care of lots and graves	$221.00		
Sale of lots and graves	99.30		
		320.30	
Collections in advance, care of lots and graves		8.00	
			$374.30

Payments to treasurer April 1 to December 31, 1928:			
Sale of lots and graves.....	$99.30		
Care of lots and graves.....	204.50		
		$303.80	
Outstanding December 31, 1928, care of lots and graves.....		70.50	
			$374.30
Outstanding January 1, 1929, care of lots and graves.....		$70.50	
Charges January 1 to November 30, 1929:			
Care of lots and graves.....	$248.00		
Sale of lots and graves.....	514.20		
		$762.20	
Collections in advance, care of lots and graves.....		6.00	
			$838.70
Payments to treasurer January 1 to November 30, 1929:			
Sale of lots and graves.....	$479.20		
Care of lots and graves.....	247.00		
		$726.20	
Collections in advance, care of lots and graves received 1928.....		8.00	
Outstanding November 30 and December 19, 1929:			
Sale of lots and graves.....	$35.00		
Care of lots and graves.....	69.50		
		104.50	
			$838.70

RIPLEY SCHOOL FUND

	Savings Deposits	*Total*
On hand April 1, 1928	$1,372.01	$1,372.01
On hand December 31, 1928	1,441.46	1,441.46
On hand November 30, 1929	1,514.42	1,514.42

Receipts		*Payments*	
April 1 to December 31, 1928			
Income	$69.45	Added to savings deposits	$69.45
January 1 to November 30, 1929			
Income	$72.96	Added to savings deposits	$72.96

J. W. NICHOLS SCHOOL PRIZE FUND

	Savings Deposits	*Total*
On hand April 1, 1928	$2,242.17	$2,242.17
On hand December 31, 1928	2,359.05	2,359.05
On hand November 30, 1929	2,278.48	2,278.48

Receipts		*Payments*	
April 1 to December 31, 1928			
Income	$116.88	Added to savings deposits	$116.88
January 1 to November 30, 1929			
Withdrawn from savings account	$200.00	Added to savings deposits	$119.43
Income	119.43	Expended by school committee for prizes	200.00
	$319.43		$319.43

COHASSET FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

	Cash (in hands of Trustees)	*Securities*	*Savings Deposits*	*Total*
On hand April 1, 1928.	$111.22	$23,000.00		$23,111.22
On hand December 31, 1928.....	479.42	23,000.00		23,479.42
On hand November 30, 1929.....	302.68	25,000.00	$650.00	25,952.68

April 1 to December 31, 1928

Receipts		*Payments*	
Income.....	$733.02	Library expenditures.....	$364.82
Cash on hand April 1, 1928.....	111.22	Cash on hand December 31, 1928	479.42
	$844.24		$844.24

January 1 to November 30, 1929

Income.....	$1,187.28	Purchase of securities.....	$2,000.00
Discount on securities purchased...	110.00	Deposited in savings account....	650.00
Bequest.....	2,000.00	Accrued interest on securities purchased.....	45.73
Cash on hand January 1, 1929....	479.42	Commission on securities purchased	4.00
		Library expenditures.....	774.29
		Cash on hand November 30, 1929.	302.68
	$3,776.70		$3,776.70

BILLINGS PRATT PARK FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand April 1, 1928	$2,150.00	$2,150.00
On hand December 31, 1928	2,150.00	2,150.00
On hand November 30, 1929	2,150.00	2,150.00

Receipts		*Payments*	
April 1 to December 31, 1928			
Income	$53.75	Transferred to town	$53.75
January 1 to November 30, 1929			
Income	$107.50	Transferred to town	$107.50

WADLEIGH PARK FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand April 1, 1928	$5,000.00	$5,000.00
On hand December 31, 1928	5,000.00	5,000.00
On hand November 30, 1929	5,000.00	5,000.00

Receipts		*Payments*	
April 1 to December 31, 1928			
Income	$125.00	Transferred to town	$125.00
January 1 to November 30, 1929			
Income	$250.00	Transferred to town	$250.00

WHEELWRIGHT PARK FUND

	Savings Deposits	Total
On hand April 1, 1928	$15,000.00	$15,000.00
On hand December 31, 1928	15,000.00	15,000.00
On hand November 30, 1929	15,000.00	15,000.00

Receipts		*Payments*	
April 1 to December 31, 1928			
Income.....	$375.00	Transferred to town	$375.00
January 1 to November 30, 1929			
Income.....	$750.00	Transferred to town	$750.00

EDITH M. BATES TOWN POND AND COMMON FUND

	Savings Deposits	*Total*
On hand January 1, 1929.....	.....	.....
On hand November 30, 1929.....	$1,500.00	$1,500.00

Receipts		*Payments*	
January 1 to November 30, 1929			
Bequest.....	$1,500.00	Deposited in savings bank.....	$1,500.00

CEMETERY PERPETUAL CARE FUNDS

	Savings Deposits	*Total*
On hand April 1, 1928.....	$75.00	$75.00
On hand December 31, 1928.....	75.00	75.00
On hand November 30, 1929.....	75.00	75.00

Receipts		*Payments*	
April 1 to December 31, 1928			
Income.....	$3.78	Transferred to town	$3.78
January 1 to November 30, 1929			
Income.....	$3.78	Transferred to town	$3.78

BALANCE SHEET, NOVEMBER 30, 1929

GENERAL ACCOUNTS

Assets

Cash		$104,548.69
Accounts Receivable:		
Taxes:		
Levy of 1927	$677.79	
Levy of 1928	13,274.96	
Levy of 1929	56,945.10	
		70,897.85
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax 1929		4,253.32
Special Assessments:		
Moth 1927	$3.41	
Moth 1928	25.21	
		28.62
Tax Titles		4,048.16
Overdrawn Accounts:		
Finance Committee	$7.51	
Forest Fires	136.59	
		144.10
		$183,920.74

Liabilities

Temporary Loans:	
In Anticipation of Revenue	$50,000.00
New Town Hall Fund	1,197.66
Sale of Elm Street Land	206.90

Surplus War Bonus Fund		$575.24
Cemetery Sale of Lots Fund		1,066.90
Unexpended Appropriation Balances		33,199.68
Reserve Fund — Overlay Surplus		6,271.93
Overlays — Reserved for Abatement of Taxes:		
Levy of 1927	$677.79	
Levy of 1928	2,992.75	
Levy of 1929	3,970.11	
		7,640.65
Revenue Reserved until Collected:		
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax	$4,253.32	
Moth Assessments	28.62	
Tax Titles	4,048.16	
		8,330.10
Revenue of 1929		5,490.26
Surplus Revenue		69,941.42
		$183,920.74

DEBT ACCOUNTS

Assets

Net Funded or Fixed Debt	$109,000.00
	$109,000.00

Liabilities

Gulf River Bridge Loan	$15,000.00
New School Building Loan	94,000.00
	$109,000.00

TRUST ACCOUNTS

Assets

Trust Funds, Cash and Securities:	
In Custody of Town Treasurer.....	$27,517.90
In Custody of Library Trustees.....	25,952.68
	$53,470.58

Liabilities

Ripley School Fund.....	$1,514.42
James W. Nichols School Prize Fund...	2,278.48
Free Public Library Fund.....	25,952.68
Billings Pratt Park Fund.....	2,150.00
Wadleigh Park Fund.....	5,000.00
Wheelwright Park Fund.....	15,000.00
Edith M. Bates Town Pond and Common Fund.....	1,500.00
Cemetery Perpetual Care Fund.....	75.00
	$53,470.58

TOWN ACCOUNTANT'S REPORT

Receipts

General Revenue

TAXES

Current Year:			
Poll	$1,744.00		
Property	198,064.46		
		$199,808.46	
Previous years:			
Poll	$138.00		
Property	54,342.73		
		54,480.73	
			$254,289.19
From the State:			
Corporation: Business and Public Service:			
Previous years	$282.88		
1929	2,000.34		
		$2,283.22	
Bank:			
Previous years	$1.21		
1929	868.19		
		869.40	
Income:			
Previous years	$1,827.56		
1929	32,709.00		
		34,536.56	

Trust Companies:			
Previous years.....	$16.21		
1929.....	1,954.16		
		$1,970.37	
			$39,659.55
Excise Taxes (on automobiles) 1929.....			9,753.22

LICENSES AND PERMITS

Liquor.....		$1.00	
All other:			
Junk.....	$50.00		
Pedlars.....	24.00		
Sunday.....	2.00		
Pool.....	2.00		
Milk.....	20.00		
Common Victuallers.....	7.00		
Automobile Dealers.....	82.00		
Alcohol.....	7.00		
Innholders.....	3.00		
Bus.....	5.00		
Auctioneers.....	2.00		
Oleomargarine.....	1.00		
		205.00	
			$206.00

GRANTS AND GIFTS

From State, Soldiers' Exemptions.....	$9.75	
From County, Dog Licenses.	577.29	
		587.04
Fines, from Court.....		334.20
Total for General Revenue.....		$304,829.20

Commercial Revenue

SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS

Moth Suppression:		
1927	$23.15	
1928	34.71	
		$57.86

DEPARTMENTAL

Tax Collector, advertising, etc.		43.00
Town Hall, rent		780.23

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Fire Department, filling extinguishers	$10.65	
Inspection, Sealer Weights and Measures	55.48	
Inspection of wires, fees	97.50	
Bounties, on seals	7.50	
		171.13

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Tuberculosis, Commonwealth of Massachusetts	$25.00	
Reimbursement for hospital care	109.20	
		134.20

HIGHWAYS

Highway, general	$180.00	
Removing snow, Department of Public Works, Commonwealth of Massachusetts	314.00	
		494.00

CHARITIES

Cohasset Home:		
Sale of produce.....	$405.00	
Board, general.....	618.00	
Board, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.....	364.00	
		$1,387.00
Outside Poor:		
Relief, from cities and towns.....	$1,215.85	
Relief, from State.....	685.17	
		1,901.02

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

State Aid, from Commonwealth of Massachusetts..	$278.00	

SCHOOLS

Sale of supplies.....	$217.28	
Sale of lunches.....	4,735.82	
Rent, Ripley auditorium....	127.00	
Telephones, reimbursement..	98.14	
		5,178.24

RECREATION AND UNCLASSIFIED

Wheelwright Park:		
For grass, Joseph E.Grassie		3.00
Gravel Pit Lot, rent, The Oaks Farm (for 2 years)		80.00
Guild and American Legion Hall:		
Rent, American Legion, for 1928, 1929 and 1930, three years.....	$3.00	
Rent, Volunteer Veteran Firemen's Association, 1929.....	1.00	
		4.00

North Cohasset Post Office Building, rent.....			$200.00
Parking Place, rent.....			275.00
Unclassified:			
Histories and genealogies..		$19.00	
Maps.....		.75	
Found on dead body.....		3.86	
			23.61

CEMETERY

From sale of lots and graves		$556.60	
For care of lots and graves..		247.00	
Reimbursement for telephone		3.15	
			806.75

INTEREST

On deposits.....		$769.13	
On deferred taxes.....		2,186.48	
On Parks:			
Town Commons (Centre).	$57.50		
Billings-Pratt, Beechwood.	50.00		
		107.50	
Wheelwright Park.....		750.00	
Wadleigh Park.....		250.00	
On Beechwood Cemetery Fund		3.78	
On Corporation Tax, Commonwealth of Massachusetts.....		.26	
			4,067.15
Total for Commercial Revenue.....			$15,884.19

MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Anticipation Tax Loans:	
Rockland Trust Company.	$115,000.00

AGENCY, TRUST AND INVESTMENT

Trust:		
Under will of Edith M. Bates	$1,500.00	
Mosquitoes, fund subscribed and held subject to orders	2,500.00	
		$4,000.00

REFUNDS

Department:		
Selectmen	$50.11	
Assessors	2.35	
Town Hall	7.71	
Fire	8.00	
Forest Fires	5.04	
Board of Health, refuse and garbage disposal	20.00	
Removing snow	7.50	
Schools	71.81	
Parking place	68.75	
Employers' Liability Insurance	21.51	
		262.78
Refund, School Department, loss by fire		11,337.50
Total Cash Receipts, 1929		$451,313.67
Transfer from School Department to District Nurse		250.00
		$451,563.67

Expenditures

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

MODERATOR, appropriation		$100.00
William H. Morris, services	$100.00	

FINANCE COMMITTEE, appropriation			$150.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund			7.51
			$157.51
Expenses, printing and postage		$157.51	

SELECTMEN, appropriation.....			$1,500.00
Refund.....			50.11
Transfer from Reserve Fund.			153.67
Expenditures:			
Selectmen's salaries:			
Darius W. Gilbert.....	$70.96		
William O. Souther, Jr.....	329.04		
Herbert L. Brown.....	400.00		
William H. McGaw.....	400.00		
		$1,200.00	
Expenses:			
Clerk, Eleanor T. Downs....	$6.00		
Stationery and postage.....	5.64		
Printing and advertising....	290.66		
Carfares, autos, etc.....	27.16		
Telephone, D. W. Gilbert...	23.67		
Telephone, W. O. Souther, Jr.	57.06		
Repairs to addressograph...	10.98		
Repairs to typewriter.....	2.50		
Refund, Lincoln Bryant, Attorney.....	50.11		
Town boundaries, paid for assistant.....	$5.00		
		478.78	
Serving warrants:			
John J. Oliver.....	$5.00		
William J. Powers.....	20.00		
		25.00	
		$1,703.78	$1,703.78

TOWN ACCOUNTANT, appropriation			$2,500.00
Services:			
Edward L. Stevens.....		$2,400.00	
Expenses:			
Clerk, Edith F. Grassie.....	$16.00		
Clerk, Eleanor T. Downs...	22.15		
Telephone.....	27.89		
Stationery and postage.....	21.62		
Printing and advertising....	8.58		
Repairs to typewriter.....	3.00		
		99.24	
		$2,499.24	
Balance to Treasury.....		.76	
		$2,500.00	$2,500.00

TOWN TREASURER, appropriation			$2,100.00
Expenditures:			
Services:			
Harry F. Tilden.....		$1,500.00	
Expenses:			
Clerk, Eleanor T. Downs...	$50.00		
Harry F. Tilden, for deeds..	2.00		
Stationery and postage.....	162.20		
Printing and advertising....	3.35		
Telephone.....	30.91		
Insurance, burglary and hold-up, W. H. Pratt.....	40.75		
Bond, J. T. Phelps & Co....	288.75		
Numbering machine.....	10.41		
Repairing document case, M. J. Sullivan.....	.75		
Charles F. Wilbur, labor on Sealer Weights and Measures apparatus.....	4.38		

Beal's Cohasset and Scituate Express	$5.00		
Repairing typewriter	1.50		
		$600.00	
		$2,100.00	$2,100.00
TAX COLLECTOR, appropriation			$2,100.00
Expenditures:			
Services:			
Harry F. Tilden		$1,500.00	
Expenses:			
Clerk, Eleanor T. Downs	$45.13		
Stationery and postage	84.07		
Printing and advertising	90.45		
Telephone	30.93		
Transportation	40.20		
Cost of deeds and tax titles	13.10		
Bond, J. T. Phelps & Co.	288.75		
Addressograph plates and cards	7.37		
		600.00	
		$2,100.00	$2,100.00
ASSESSORS, appropriation			$2,000.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund			111.25
Refund			2.35
Expenditures:			
Services:			
Herbert L. Brown	$800.00		
William H. McGaw	500.00		
William O. Souther, Jr.	500.00		
		$1,800.00	
Expenses:			
Stationery and postage	$38.66		
Printing and advertising	135.22		

Transportation	$31.42		
Probates and abstracts of deeds	80.40		
Banker and Tradesman, subscription	10.00		
Burroughs adding machine, care for one year	17.40		
Express	.50		
		$313.60	
		$2,113.60	$2,113.60
OTHER FINANCE OFFICES AND ACCOUNTS, appropriation			$10.00
Paid Division of Accounts, State House, for registration of five notes, Nos. 105 to 109, inclusive		$10.00	
LAW, LEGAL COUNSEL, appropriation			$750.00
Paid Frederick A. Thayer		$750.00	
TOWN CLERK, appropriation			$900.00
Expenditures:			
Harry F. Tilden, salary	$499.96		
Harry F. Tilden, recording fees	185.25		
Harry F. Tilden, oaths	10.25		
		$695.46	
Expenses:			
Clerk, Eleanor T. Downs	$73.25		
Clerk, Alice V. Thayer	24.63		
Stationery and postage	39.85		
Printing and advertising	7.50		

Telephone	$18.41		
Transportation	35.80		
Bond, J. T. Phelps & Co.	4.00		
Express	1.10		
		$204.54	
		$900.00	$900.00

ENGINEERING, Maintenance, appropriation		$200.00
Paid Lewis W. Perkins	$199.45	
Balance to Treasury	.55	
	$200.00	$200.00

ENGINEERING, Outlay, appropriation		$500.00
Paid Lewis W. Perkins	$493.30	
Balance to Treasury	6.70	
	$500.00	$500.00

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION, appropriation			$1,250.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund			24.40
Expenditures:			
Services, Election Officers:			
Abraham J. Antoine	$20.00		
Reginald R. Beal	8.00		
Fred C. Blossom	25.50		
Robert V. Collier	26.00		
Joseph H. Donovan	5.00		
Edward M. Fleming	13.00		
Thomas L. Grassie	23.00		
Charles R. Jason	8.00		
Frank F. Martin, Jr.	13.00		
George G. Monteiro	10.00		

Caleb Nichols	$20.00	
Joseph L. Oliver	8.00	
Charles H. Pratt	15.00	
Ora H. Pratt	14.00	
Nelson G. Pratt	2.50	
John Roche	10.00	
Anastasia St. John	20.00	
S. H. Stoughton	13.00	
Fred W. Sullivan	5.00	
H. E. Sweeney	5.00	
George P. Tower	8.00	
John J. Walsh	8.00	
E. W. Wheelwright	8.00	
Emma A. Whitcomb	6.00	
		$294.00
Registrars, services:		
Harry F. Tilden	$100.00	
Henry E. Sweeney	100.00	
Estate of T. F. Kane	21.12	
John Roche	78.88	
Thomas W. Doyle	100.00	
		400.00
Expenses:		
Clerk, Eleanor T. Downs	$58.00	
Janitor, Louis J. Morris	8.70	
Janitor, Thomas A. Stevens	12.00	
Stationery and postage	10.68	
Printing and advertising	107.75	
Meals	57.00	
Transportation	11.70	
Booths, The Penna. Construction Co., 24 booths with chains, etc.	198.45	
Booths, express	29.59	
Booths, Bosworth & Beal, wiring	44.61	
Booths, P. L. Towle, wiring	1.50	
Booths, labor on	5.00	

Moving seats, Litchfield's Express	$15.00		
Addressograph Co., voters' lists, etc.	20.42		
		$580.40	
		$1,274.40	$1,274.40

Town Hall, Maintenance, appropriation			$6,000.00
Refund			7.71
Transfer from Reserve Fund.			1,800.00
Expenditures:			
Janitor, Louis J. Morris		$1,504.50	
Other labor:			
L. J. Morris, moving seats, etc.	$57.00		
Charles F. Wilbur	43.75		
John F. James	37.75		
Lot E. Bates	5.00		
Rufus A. James	2.50		
		146.00	
Fuel:			
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co., 80,800 lbs. coal	$579.33		
People's Wood Co., kindling.	22.00		
Old Colony Gas Co.	21.77		
		623.10	
Light:			
General	$276.45		
Exit	62.55		
Picture booth	35.85		
Elm Street Office	6.04		
		380.89	
Janitor's supplies:			
Cohasset Hardware Co.	$111.21		
John N. MacNeill	6.67		
Massachusetts State Prison	25.08		

Masury-Young Co.	$20.60	
Sentry Sales Co.	30.00	
Boston Drinking Cup Co.	7.82	
B. McArdle	7.50	
Tower & Co.	2.00	
David Souther, Jr.	32.88	
William P. Malley	13.25	
Mt. Blue Spring Co.	18.00	
E. H. Sparrell	2.70	
		$277.71

Repairs:

Edward Nichols, architect	$62.00	
George F. Sargent, Jr., painting outside	450.00	
Albert E. Grassie, painting inside	971.60	
John Cottle, screens, awnings, etc.	102.00	
Hyland & McGaw, carpentry	105.36	
S. H. Stoughton, repairing walls, etc.	177.30	
P. L. Towle, wiring	59.45	
A. S. Hiltz, plumbing, etc.	15.20	
M. S. Leonard	12.50	
A. E. Salvador, cesspool cover	22.00	
Cohasset Hardware Co.	50.95	
John H. MacNeill	12.00	
Cousens & Pratt, awning	8.00	
L. J. Morris, labor	6.00	
H. M. Sanders Co.	12.80	
George E. Kimball & Son	3.55	
Booth, for inspection	2.00	
Charles F. Wilbur, painting vault	17.50	
Electric Light & Power Co., spot light	4.00	

Commissioner of Public Safety, boiler inspection...	$20.00	
Express.....	.94	
		$2,115.15
Insurance:		
Baker-Meader & Co.....	$98.50	
Newell & Vedeler.....	98.50	
William H. Morris.....	485.25	
C. Lothrop & Co.....	166.60	
E. N. Tower.....	220.50	
William H. Morris, liability.	80.50	
William H. Pratt, Employers' Liability.....	13.82	
		1,163.67
Furniture:		
Shaw-Walker Co., safe and bookcase.....	$467.50	
John H. Pray, linoleum.....	100.00	
Old Colony Gas Co., ranges etc.....	155.80	
Bosworth & Beal, installing telephones.....	142.40	
Cohasset Hardware Co., shades, etc..... ..	107.48	
Heywood-Wakefield Co., seat fasteners, etc.....	40.25	
Massachusetts Reformatory, table and chairs.....	41.50	
W. B. Badger & Co., costumer.....	7.00	
F. D. Nudd, repairing table.	7.71	
E. R. Shedd, lettering.....	4.50	
Express.....	4.39	
D. S. Campbell, clock.....	29.50	
Page, Baker Co., chairs and table.....	84.00	
Paine Furniture Co., desk...	28.00	

H. F. Tilden, reimbursement — cushions	$7.50		
H. F. Tilden, ash can carrier	3.00		
Donovan Drug Co., thermometer	1.00		
		$1,231.53	
All other:			
D. W. Gilbert, storage	$40.00		
Litchfield's Express, moving town officers	42.40		
Lot E. Bates, moving piano, etc.	27.50		
Edwin D. Bates, tuning piano	3.50		
W. W. Wade, tuning piano	8.50		
		121.90	
Telephones		238.67	
		$7,803.12	
Balance to Treasury		4.59	
		$7,807.71	$7,807.71

Town Hall Remodeling, balance from 1928			$11,147.85
Appropriation of November 9 from Excess and Deficiency			329.25
Expenditures:			
Edward Nichols, architect		$1,026.00	
John Cottle, general contractor		5,965.65	
M. S. Leonard, heating and plumbing		3,378.45	
P. L. Towle, electrical work		771.30	
McQuay Radiator Corporation, heat cabinets		168.00	
W. T. Roberts, Inc., labor on asbestos curtain		118.70	

U. S. Fidelity & Guaranty Co., balance on bond of Cottle.....	$49.00	
	$11,477.10	$11,477.10
TOWN HALL EQUIPMENT, appropriation		$1,000.00
Expenditures:		
Shaw-Walker Co., safe, steel counter, etc. for Treasurer	$700.32	
E. Forsberg & Sons, cabinet for standard balances.....	255.00	
Litchfield's Express, moving cabinet, etc.....	15.00	
L. J. Morris, labor on stairs, Treasurer's office.....	12.00	
A. E. Grassie, refinishing floor, Treasurer's office.....	17.68	
	$1,000.00	$1,000.00

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

POLICE DEPARTMENT, appropriation		$16,970.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund		415.33
Expenditures:		
Salaries and Wages:		
Chief, Hector J. Pelletier....	$2,700.00	
Sergeant, Frank Jason.....	1,924.84	
Patrolmen:		
John Fleming.....	1,825.00	
James J. Sullivan.....	1,825.00	
Edward L. Maguire.....	1,825.00	
Benjamin F. Curley.....	1,825.00	
John J. Rooney.....	1,825.00	
John F. Keating.....	89.28	
Henry B. Kennedy.....	89.30	

Frederick W. Sullivan....	$53.68	
S. H. Stoughton.....	12.50	
Edward B. Mathewson...	50.00	
Royal Bates.....	22.50	
Frank E. Jason.....	9.36	
Ralph Enos.....	4.96	
John J. Oliver.....	2.50	
John J. Ferreira.....	1.86	
		$14,085.78
Matron, Mary E. Grassie...		8.00
Maintenance of automobiles, motorcycles, etc.:		
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.		
Storage.....	$60.00	
Gas.....	272.24	
Oil, etc.....	43.73	
Miscellaneous.....	156.02	
Tires, etc.....	131.23	
Charles A. Dusenberg, rubber mat.....	4.90	
Reddy's Battery Shop, gas, oil, etc.....	72.50	
Brockton Indian Co., supplies	4.00	
American Tire Equipment Co., supplies.....	5.70	
Insurance, William H. Pratt	54.50	
Brockton Indian Co., motorcycle..... $588.00		
Allowance on two cycles..... 288.00		
	300.00	
Noyes-Buick Sales, repairs on car.....	23.20	
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc., overhauling car.....	74.15	
		1,202.17

Equipment for men:		
Monteiro Tailoring Co., uniforms, etc.	$$73.25	
American Fire Equipment Co., 3 coats	90.40	
M. Linsky & Bros., coats and caps	66.60	
Iver Johnson Sporting Goods Co., cartridges	10.65	
Reddy's Battery Shop, batteries	3.55	
Nicholas Simeone, batteries	1.80	
Bosworth & Beal, reflector	3.50	
A. Sammett, revolver cases	17.50	
L. Levine, gloves	1.25	
Express	3.85	
		$272.35
Fuel:		
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co., Coal, 11,375 lbs.	$94.85	
Old Colony Gas Co.	20.32	
		115.17
Light at headquarters and garage		44.38
Maintenance of buildings, etc.:		
Old Colony Gas Co., boiler and pipe	$297.80	
Roche & Gonsalves, wiring	65.45	
Cohasset Hardware Co., supplies	54.15	
F. C. Blossom, painting	24.59	
John W. Bates, cleaning cesspool	5.00	
E. H. Sparrell, supplies	3.75	
Bosworth & Beal, supplies, etc.	10.72	
M. S. Leonard, plumbing	40.25	
E. R. Shedd, painting	.75	
Tower & Co., Inc., cushions	2.00	
L. Levine, cheesecloth	1.15	

L. C. Trott, Treasurer, flag outfit	$4.50	
J. A. Simeone, cement	2.55	
J. A. Simone, rent garage	75.00	
		$587.66
Janitors' supplies:		
Liberty Coat and Apron Supply Co.	$3.90	
South Weymouth Custom Laundry	5.09	
John H. MacNeill	11.50	
		20.49
Printing, stationery and postage		34.61
Telephones		294.18
Beacons and street lights:		
The A. G. A. Co., care of beacons, etc.	$102.95	
T. F. Kane, care light Spring Street	65.00	
Margaret Kane, care lights	40.00	
Painting streets	83.25	
Cohasset Hardware Co., supplies	59.20	
Bosworth & Beal, services, etc.	37.52	
E. R. Shedd, painting	23.50	
W. H. McArthur, Jr., painting streets	2.25	
S. J. Grassie, painting streets	26.25	
A. L. Ahearn, care of lights	17.50	
Lot E. Bates, repairing beacon	1.50	
J. N. MacNeill, supplies	10.58	
F. C. Blossom, painting	3.40	
		472.90
Beacons, current for		128.64
All other expenses:		
Auto List Publishing Co.	$35.00	
T. F. Kane, et al., lunches	30.75	

H. C. Metcalf, repairing typewriter	$2.75		
Commissioner of Public Safety, blanks	.60		
		$69.10	
Telephone boxes:			
Hyland & McGaw	$36.90		
E. R. Shedd	13.00		
		49.90	
		$17,385.33	$17,385.33

Fire Department, Maintenance, appropriation, including grounding fire alarm boxes		$17,539.00
Refunds		8.00
Salaries and wages:		
Chief, Frank F. Martin, Jr.	$500.00	
Engineers:		
Edward Fitzpatrick	27.00	
Joseph L. Oliver	27.00	
Everett Wheelwright	27.00	
Deputies:		
Roscoe G. Pratt	50.00	
Alfred M. Silvia	50.00	
Clarence S. Reddy	50.00	
Charles W. Hunter	50.00	
Total for Engineers	$781.00	
Drivers:		
J. Lewis Bates	1,700.00	
Edwin A. Stone	1,700.00	
Aaron Pratt	1,600.00	
Norman G. Grassie	1,200.00	
James Happenny	700.00	
A. M. Gonsalves	97.50	
H. A. Pattison	130.00	

Houseman, William J. Brennock	$730.00	
Firemen, for detail see end of report	778.50	
Clerks of Companies:		
Engine 1, William Burke	60.00	
Engine 2, J. J. F. Doherty	48.00	
Engine 2, Charles Hunter	12.00	
Engine 3, Paul W. Pratt	48.00	
Engine 3, Anthony Gonsalves	12.00	
Ladder 1	60.00	
Other employees: see end of report for detail	55.50	
		$9,712.50
Equipment:		
Apparatus, etc.:		
A. L. Ahearn, gas, oil, etc.	$60.52	
Reddy's Battery Shop:		
Gas, oil and miscellaneous	390.83	
Tires	140.50	
Repairs	73.25	
Fitzpatrick & Happenny, gas, etc.	79.10	
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc., gas and repairs	6.45	
South Shore Buick Co., gas	1.80	
Charles Stover, labor on Chief's car	18.00	
Gorham Fire Equipment Co., searchlights, etc.	180.04	
Noyes Buick Sales Co., miscellaneous	.80	
E. J. Dutra:		
Gas, oil, etc.	27.27	
Tires	112.25	
Repairs	318.16	
E. H. Brown, gas and oil	15.31	
Cohasset Motor Co.:		
Gas, oil, etc.	34.50	

Tires	$254.70	
Repairs	163.75	
Pill Bros., repairs	11.65	
Cohasset Motor Service, gas, oil, etc.	80.70	
A. H. Blanchard, repairs	3.65	
F. R. Drake, painting apparatus	200.00	
W. P. Malley, repairs	31.35	
The Standard Equipment Co.	2.12	
Cohasset Battery Shop, repairs	14.90	
Bosworth & Beal, lanterns	7.90	
H. G. Davis, Inc., repairs	11.11	
American Fire Equipment Co.	193.29	
The Portalite Co.	106.00	
Monteiro Tailoring Co., clothes	192.00	
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., 500 feet hose	425.00	
Boston Coupling Co.	14.45	
E. E. H. Souther, gloves	5.50	
Cousens & Pratt, cover	5.00	
Beacon Wiper Supply Co., cheesecloth	63.80	
Minot Market, soda	15.00	
M. J. Sullivan, straps, etc.	6.75	
General Electric Supply Corporation	2.01	
Wetmore-Savage Co.	8.10	
Cohen & Lane Co.	11.00	
Maxim Motor Co.	8.85	
Oakite Products Co.	14.56	
Express	10.86	
		$3,322.78
Fire Alarm:		
Herbert Williams, for care of	$200.00	
Joseph L. Oliver, for care of	27.75	

Electric Light & Power Co., current for	$59.60	
Payrolls (detail given at end of report)	266.00	
Fred G. Roche, grounding boxes, etc.	467.38	
Roche & Gonsalves, repairs, etc.	98.50	
The Gamewell Co.	231.41	
General Electric Supply Corporation	85.87	
Charles H. Williams, repairs	24.00	
The Holtzer Cabot Co., generator	154.00	
George H. Buckminster Co.	54.00	
Bosworth & Beal	18.90	
Howard Jermyn, repairs	12.00	
F. V. Valine, installing new boxes	79.50	
Lot E. Bates	1.31	
Minot Market	.55	
Reddy's Battery Shop	2.00	
Express	12.79	
Electric Light & Power Co., repairs	231.65	
		$2,027.21
Fuel:		
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co.		
Coal, 90,380 lbs.	$706.05	
Wood	8.70	
		714.75
Old Colony Gas Co.		5.79
Light: Electric Light & Power Co.		213.84
Maintenance of building and grounds:		
Repairs:		
Levi T. Lincoln	$130.10	

Hyland & McGaw.....	$145.39	
Charles R. Jason, carting stones.....	21.00	
Old Colony Gas Co., piping.	40.20	
M. S. Leonard, plumbing...	44.50	
Frank Sargent, painting....	15.18	
Alexander S. Hiltz, plumbing	12.25	
George F. Welch Co., lumber	37.86	
W. P. Malley, iron work....	3.00	
John N. MacNeill, supplies..	13.24	
Lynd Fire Door Hardware Co.	1.00	
G. E. Kimball & Son, lumber	4.72	
Cohasset Hardware Co., supplies.....	10.00	
H. Williams, wiring.....	6.50	
Express.....	5.00	
		$489.94

Furniture and furnishings:		
Old Colony Gas Co., range and mantel.....	$72.00	
D. S. Campbell, clock and bell.....	13.00	
L. Levine, sheets, etc.....	4.45	
M. J. Merriam, sheets, etc...	10.25	
Morandi-Proctor Co., dishes, tank, etc.....	32.70	
Mae M. Silvia, fixing cabinet	23.00	
H. M. Faust Co., oak desk..	52.00	
Cohasset Hardware Co., boiler, etc.....	16.40	
R. W. Robbins, repairing clock.....	2.50	
Express.....	1.00	
		227.30

Laundry work, South Weymouth Custom Laundry....	65.66

House supplies:			
Bosworth & Beal	$22.32		
M. F. Ellis & Co.	8.16		
Cohasset Hardware Co.	113.52		
General Electric Supply Corporation	38.96		
M. J. Sullivan, duster	7.50		
Sentry Sales Co.	13.50		
L. Levine	5.50		
Minot Market	47.40		
C. A. Tanger, 2 flags	18.00		
E. H. Brown	22.14		
Hingham Water Co.	14.00		
Frank Sargent	4.75		
Express and freight	1.53		
		$317.28	
Stationery and postage		29.75	
Telephones		356.59	
Clerk for Engineer—Eleanor T. Downs		1.00	
All other:			
F. Hinchliffe, M.D., services for A. Pratt	$15.25		
Pilgrim Coöperative Bank, typewriter	10.00		
H. C. Metcalf, repairing typewriter	10.00		
		35.25	
		$17,519.64	
Balance to Treasury		27.36	
		$17,547.00	$17,547.00

FIRE DEPARTMENT,

Water for Hydrants:

Appropriation, March	$8,675.00

Appropriation, November 9, from Excess and Deficiency			$68.75
Expenditures:			
Cohasset Water Co.:			
103 hydrants at $75; one at 2-3 rate		$7,775.00	
Rent hydrant, Black Horse Lane for 1928		68.75	
		$7,843.75	
Hingham Water Co.:			
12 hydrants at $75		900.00	
		$8,743.75	$8,743.75

Inspection of Wires, appropriation			$1,000.00
Expenditures:			
Herbert Williams, services		$981.05	
Telephone		18.95	
		$1,000.00	$1,000.00

Sealer of Weights and Measures, appropriation			$400.00
Expenditures:			
Caleb Nichols, services		$250.00	
Expenses:			
Stationery and postage	$16.30		
Transportation	89.63		
	15.85		
Insurance, William A. Mosman	13.13	134.91	
		$384.91	
Balance to Treasury		15.09	
		$400.00	$400.00

MOTH SUPPRESSION, appropriation in March			$5,500.00
Appropriation November 9, from Excess and Deficiency			9.70
Expenditures:			
Superintendent, Joseph E. Grassie		$683.00	
Payrolls (for detail see end of report):			
Labor	$3,140.50		
Trucks, etc.	888.50		
		4,029.00	
Insecticides (Frank H. Albee):			
Sulphur, 200 lbs.	$21.00		
Dry lead, 3,072 lbs.	391.68		
Black leaf, 4 lbs.	9.00		
Fish oil, 10 gals.	13.50		
		435.18	
Hardware and tools:			
Cohasset Hardware Co.	$111.32		
John H. MacNeill	14.45		
Frank H. Albee	25.00		
William P. Malley (1928)	9.70		
William P. Malley (1928)	12.00		
Frost Insecticide Co.	3.18		
Express	.75		
		176.40	
Gas, oil, etc.:			
Cohasset Motor Co.	$35.60		
Reddy's Battery Shop	9.10		
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.	18.80		
A. L. Ahearn	4.00		
E. J. Dutra	2.60		
		70.10	
All other:			
Reddy's Battery Shop, supplies	$18.20		

Fitzhenry-Guptill Co., parts for sprayer	$20.65		
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.	.60		
Employers' Liability, insurance, W. H. Pratt	68.00		
Express	7.92		
		$115.37	
		$5,509.05	
Balance to Treasury		.65	
		$5,509.70	$5,509.70

MOTH SUPPRESSION, new power sprayer, appropriation			$400.00
Expenditures:			
Frost Insecticide Co., sprayer		$295.00	
Acme Rubber Mfg. Co.:			
300 ft. hose and washers	$85.50		
Single spray gun	7.00		
Double spray gun	11.00		
		103.50	
		$398.50	
Balance to Treasury		1.50	
		$400.00	$400.00

TREE WARDEN, appropriation			$2,350.00
Expenditures:			
Superintendent, Joseph E. Grassie		$180.00	
Payrolls (for details, see end of report)			
Labor	$1,108.50		
Trucks, etc.	788.75		
		1,897.25	

Hardware and tools:			
Cohasset Hardware Co.....	$83.10		
John N. MacNeill.....	13.70		
Edwin W. Bates, filing saws, etc.....	19.50		
James Denithorne, filing saws, etc.....	2.00		
Roscoe G. Pratt, for saw....	3.50		
E. H. Brown.....	3.13		
M. J. Sullivan, oil and straps	14.50		
		$139.43	
Trees, C. A. Tanger.....		95.55	
All other:			
Reddy's Battery Shop.....	$1.30		
Employers' Liability, insurance, W. H. Pratt.....	34.00		
		35.30	
		$2,347.53	
Balance to Treasury.....		2.47	
		$2,350.00	$2,350.00
Forest Fires, appropriation in March.....			$1,500.00
Appropriation December 2 from Excess and Deficiency....			300.00
Refund.....			5.04
Expenditures:			
Warden, Frank F. Martin, Jr., services.....		$100.00	
Payrolls for fires (see detail at end of report).....		958.89	
Apparatus:			
Maxim Motor Co., installing pump.....	$321.00		
Maxim Motor Co., strainer, etc.....	11.50		

Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc., painting car and repairs	$167.60		
William P. Malley, repairs, etc.	18.70		
A. H. Blanchard, nozzle	25.00		
Boston Coupling Co.	4.20		
Division of Forestry	2.75		
W. J. Brennock, painting cans	1.25		
		$552.00	
Team hire		1.00	
Gas and miscellaneous supplies:			
Cohasset Motor Co.	$25.40		
Cohasset Motor Service	11.61		
A. L. Ahearn	1.40		
E. J. Dutra	1.35		
Reddy's Battery Shop	28.65		
Fitzpatrick & Happenny	3.25		
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.	1.00		
Cohasset Battery Shop	2.00		
		74.66	
All other:			
Cohasset "Diner," lunches	$7.35		
Edward J. McCormick, rent of garage	7.50		
Express	.38		
		15.23	
		$1,701.78	
Balance to Treasury		103.26	
		$1,805.04	$1,805.04
Bounties, appropriation			$10.00
Paid Harry F. Tilden, bounties on seals		$10.00	

HEALTH AND SANITATION

Board of Health, General, appropriation			$3,620.00
Expenditures:			
Salaries and expenses, Board of Health:			
Irving F. Sylvester, chairman	$150.00		
Edward L. Higgins, secretary	200.00		
Abraham S. Enos	183.00		
		$533.00	
Agent, F. W. Browne, Pharmacist		25.00	
Stationery, etc., The Office Appliance Co.		7.80	
Printing and advertising, The Boundbrook Press		65.75	
Telephones:			
I. F. Sylvester	$28.66		
J. W. Bates	23.76		
		52.42	
Transportation		91.48	
Medical attendance		42.00	
Medical supplies		9.87	
Nurse, Ruth M. Hynes		116.66	
Drugs and medicines		5.83	
Loss of wages:			
Mrs. Margaret Chase	$32.00		
Dorothy Sparks	12.00		
		44.00	
Hospitals:			
Massachusetts Homeopathic	$429.00		
Lakeville State Sanatorium	425.00		
Norfolk County Hospital	1,012.10		
Children's	70.75		
		1,936.85	
Fumigation, Darius W. Gilbert	$40.00		
Fumigation, G. D. Dolge Co.	36.91		
		76.91	

Burying animals:			
C. A. Tanger	$5.00		
John Sweeney	2.00		
Joseph A. Valine	3.00		
M. J. Sullivan	2.00		
Mary Taeusch	1.00		
William Sidney	1.00		
Mary Hurley	1.00		
Thomas Burke	1.00		
P. J. Armes	1.00		
J. T. Barnes	1.00		
		$18.00	
		$3,025.57	
Balance to Treasury		594.43	
		$3,620.00	$3,620.00
Tuberculosis Hospital, Braintree, appropriation			$2,618.44
Paid County Treasurer		$2,618.44	
Dental Dispensary, appropriation			$1,200.00
Paid William M. Ross, D.M.D.		$1,080.00	
Paid for supplies		34.13	
		$1,114.13	
Balance to Treasury		85.87	
		$1,200.00	$1,200.00
District Nurse, appropriation			$1,100.00
Paid Ruth M. Hynes (Mrs. Ruth M. Ross)		$1,099.20	

Expenses		$0.80	
		$1,110.00	$1,110.00
Transfer from "Schools" to this account $250.00			
INSPECTION OF ANIMALS, appropriation			$150.00
Paid Darius W. Gilbert, V.S.		$150.00	
INSPECTION OF MEAT, ETC., appropriation			$50.00
Paid Darius W. Gilbert, V.S.		$50.00	
INSPECTION OF MILK AND VINEGAR, appropriation			$200.00
Paid Irving F. Sylvester		$150.00	
Balance to Treasury		50.00	
		$200.00	$200.00
REFUSE AND GARBAGE DISPOSAL, appropriation			$700.00
Refund			20.00
Expenditures:			
Rent:			
Roscoe G. Pratt	$50.00		
Aaron Pratt	50.00		
Cyrus W. Bates	25.00		
O. H. Bates, Est. G. F. Sargent, Jr., Adm.	25.00		
		$150.00	
Labor:			
Pliny T. Frost	$180.00		
Walter P. Bates	310.00		

E. F. Lincoln (for Frost) refunded	$20.00		
		$510.00	
Lewis W. Perkins, C.E., plan Bates land, Doane Street		57.25	
Signs		.50	
		$717.75	
Balance to Treasury		2.25	
		$720.00	$720.00

LAND FOR DUMP, appropriation		$500.00
No expenditures		
Balance to Treasury	$500.00	

STRAITS POND, JAMES BROOK, CAT DAM, ETC., appropriation in March		$1,500.00
Appropriation November 9, from Excess and Deficiency		10.00

Expenditures:		
Straits Pond:		
Payrolls (see detail at end of report)		
Labor	$496.01	
Trucks, etc.	47.88	
	$543.89	
Rent of boat, Edith B. Hatch	36.75	
Supplies	11.00	
Care of gates, Fitzpatrick & Happenny	206.00	
		$797.64

James Brook:			
Expenditures:			
Payrolls (see detail at end of report)			
Labor	$349.64		
Trucks, etc.	42.00		
	$391.64		
W. P. Malley, labor on gate, etc.	15.00		
Cohasset Hardware Co., rake	1.20		
Care gates, C. A. Tanger	75.00		
Employers Liability. W. H. Pratt	3.40		
		$486.24	
Cat Dam:			
Care gates, Arthur O. Wood.		35.62	
Mill Bridge and Gulf Dam:			
W. H. Ellsworth, labor on gates, 1927	10.00		
Labor, F. F. Martin, Jr., and W. F. Martin, $1.25 each	2.50		
Care of Gulf Dam, Joseph A. Valine	5.00		
		$17.50	
Dike at Sandy Cove:			
Abraham J. Antoine, Jr., labor		15.00	
		$1,352.00	
Balance to Treasury		158.00	
		$1,510.00	$1,510.00

Draining Land, Pleasant Street, under Selectmen	
Transfers from Reserve Fund	$39.58

Expenditures:			
Labor:			
George B. Lovering.....	$20.00		
M. A. Burke, care lanterns..	3.50		
Hyland & McGaw.....	3.75		
		$27.25	
Supplies:			
S. H. Stoughton, 4 bags cement	$5.40		
C. R. Jason, load sand.....	4.50		
Hyland & McGaw.....	2.43		
		12.33	
		$39.58	$39.58
Eradication of Mosquitoes, appropriation.....			$2,500.00
Expenditures:			
Payrolls (for detail, see end of report)			
Labor.....	$1,999.73		
Trucks, etc.....	312.50		
		$2,312.23	
Tools, etc.			
Cohasset Hardware Co....	$85.27		
Walter P. Bates.....	4.87		
		90.14	
Printing, fliers and cards			
Wright & Potter Printing Co.....		17.85	
Supplies:			
Standard Oil Co. of N. Y., 275 gallons oil.....	$19.25		
M. J. Sullivan, 3 pair rubber boots.....	24.00		

E. H. Brown, etc., rubber boots, etc.	$12.50		
Edward J. Dutra, oil drums	6.25		
		$62.00	
		$2,482.22	
Balance to Treasury		17.78	
		$2,500.00	$2,500.00

The Town received $2,500 from subscription, none of which was used. The amount is held in reserve. *See Receipts.*

HIGHWAYS

HIGHWAYS, general, appropriation in March			$27,063.00
Appropriations November 9, from Excess and Deficiency			513.35
Expenditures:			
Surveyor, George Jason		$3,300.00	
Stationery		2.35	
Payrolls (for detail see end of report)			
Labor	$8,794.04		
Trucks, etc.	8,315.15		
		17.109.19	
Broken stone, gravel, etc.:			
Boston Sand and Gravel Co., 98.65 tons	$64.65		
Bradford Weston, 304.20 tons	813.75		
Old Colony Crushed Stone Co., 110.75 tons	286.28		
National Construction Co.	62.65		
Mass. Amasite Co., 6.10 tons	52.77		

J. H. Whitcomb, 60 loads...	$30.00	
Ira N. Pratt, 40 loads.....	20.00	
Trimount Oil Co., 1,620 gallons patch.....	307.80	
American Oil Products Co...	28.00	
L. T. Lincoln, 247.75 tons...	247.75	
H. O. Bates, 23 loads.....	21.75	
Pat Feola, loam and sod....	18.00	
		$1,953.40

Equipment and repairs:

Cohasset Hardware Co.....	$192.81	
P. I. Perkins, melting kettle.	464.95	
M. J. Sullivan.....	88.12	
John N. MacNeill.....	49.63	
Buffalo Springfield Roller Co.	51.08	
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.....	30.54	
N. E. Road Machine Co....	56.82	
Waldo Bros. & Bond.....	13.79	
M. F. Ellis & Co.....	16.00	
Harrington, King & Co.....	2.49	
Gaetano Poc Buffalo, belt...	8.00	
George F. Welch Co.....	4.39	
E. E. H. Souther, gloves....	.75	
L. Levine, gloves.....	1.50	
H. H. Ellsworth (1926 and 1927).....	13.35	
E. H. Brown.....	2.80	
Express.....	2.78	
		999.80

Gas and oil:

E. J. Dutra.....	$78.70	
Reddy's Battery Shop.....	53.71	
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.....	78.45	
A. L. Ahearn.....	29.60	
J. St. John.....	37.03	
Cohasset Motor Co.....	46.35	

Litchfield's Express.....	$8.60	
Minot Market.....	1.00	
		$333.44
All other:		
Mrs. T. F. Kane, rent of shop	$275.00	
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co., 29,750 lbs. coal.....	180.25	
George Jason, freight.....	6.99	
Massachusetts State Prison..	24.13	
Cohasset Hardware Co.....	10.60	
Reddy's Battery Shop.....	2.85	
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.....	.55	
Samuel C. Kutzer, lunches..	4.45	
George F. Welch Co.....	4.73	
Minot Market.....	.65	
E. J. Dutra.....	2.50	
Hyland & McGaw.....	8.49	
S. H. Stoughton, cement....	4.50	
E. T. Downs, clerical services	1.30	
Express.....	.99	
L. Levine.....	1.00	
		528.98
Wiring Town Hall shed, P. L. Towle.....		19.56
Electric light, shop James Lane		4.27
Telephones:		
George Jason.....	$65.74	
Shop, James Lane.....	25.69	
		91.43
Drain Pipe:		
Cohasset Hardware Co.....	$468.71	
George F. Welch Co.....	83.84	
J. N. MacNeill.....	106.24	
		658.79
Insurance:		
Employer's Liability on $18,500. W. H. Pratt....	$536.07	

On tractor, W. H. Pratt....	$16.00		
On roller, W. H. Morris.....	90.00		
		$642.07	
Masons:			
A. E. Salvador.....	$166.80		
Charles E. Frates.....	56.40		
T. Ferreira.....	8.00		
S. H. Stoughton.....	5.00		
		$236.20	
Paint:			
South Shore Boat and Lobster Co.....	$96.00		
The Tropical Paint Co.....	48.15		
Cohasset Hardware Co.....	4.00		
		$148.15	
Repairing fence, Jerusalem Road Roche and Gonsalves.....		25.00	
		$26,052.63	
Sidewalks:			
Bradford Weston, 482.2 tons stone, etc.....	$670.35		
S. H. Stoughton, South Main Street.....	338.80		
C. G. Fletcher Co., 302 feet curbing (at Furber's).....	362.87		
P. Gilcoine, setting curbing..	117.20		
C. G. Fletcher Co., corner blocks.....	26.00		
		$1,515.22	
		$27,567.85	
Balance to Treasury.....		8.50	
		$27,576.35	$27,576.35

Fore River Bridge, appropriation			$1,000.00
Paid William L. Foster, Treasurer, thirteen assessments		$780.00	
Balance to Treasury		220.00	
		$1,000.00	$1,000.00

Tarring Streets, appropriation			$6,500.00
Pay rolls (for detail see end of report:			
Labor	$1,138.00		
Trucks, etc.	1,340.20		
		$2,478.20	
Materials:			
American Oil Products Co. for asphalt, amprotar and cold patch, 13,418 gallons and 20 drums	$2,733.90		
Independent Coal Tar Co., for cold patch and taric, 3,340½ gallons	550.02		
Trimount Oil Co., 2,715 gallons and drums of cold patch	503.85		
National Construction Co., for Natco	152.00		
Massachusetts Amesitic Co., four tons	34.60		
Agnes Williams, damage to clothes	20.00		
		$3,994.37	
		$6,472.57	
Balance to Treasury		27.43	
		$6,500.00	$6,500.00

Lambert's Lane, repairs, appropriation			$1,150.00
Pay rolls (for detail see end of report):			
Labor	$290.00		
Trucks, etc.	383.40		
		$673.40	
Bradford Weston, 141 tons stone		314.84	
American Oil Products Co., 1,150 gallons of tar		161.00	
		$1,149.24	
Balance to Treasury		.76	
		$1,150.00	$1,150.00
Concrete Sidewalk, South Main Street, appropriation			$500.00
Pay rolls (for detail see end of report):			
Labor	$93.00		
Trucks	14.00		
		$107.00	
S. H. Stoughton, contract		375.00	
L. W. Perkins, lines and grades		15.20	
		$497.20	
Balance to Treasury		2.80	
		$500.00	$500.00
Sidewalk and Curb, Doane Street, appropriation			$150.00
Paid Spencer H. Stoughton, contract		$150.00	
		$150.00	$150.00

Pond Street Improvement, appropriation			$8,200.00
Expenditures:			
Pay rolls (for detail see end of report):			
Labor	$3,088.00		
Trucks, etc.	2,229.50		
		$5,317.50	
Pipe:			
Cohasset Hardware Co.	$471.38		
John N. MacNeill	96.56		
		567.94	
Tools:			
Cohasset Hardware Co.	$31.85		
Tower Bros. Co., hammers	5.29		
		37.14	
Cement: S. H. Stoughton, 14 bags		12.60	
Culverts: John H. MacNeill		337.98	
Ledges: A. C. Trojano, blowing		264.70	
Asphalt: American Oil and Products Co., 3925 gallons		804.63	
Stone: Bradford Weston, 359 tons		801.83	
Engineering: L. W. Perkins		21.35	
Oil and gas		33.40	
Cohasset Hardware Co., line		.50	
		$8,199.57	
Balance to Treasury		.43	
		$8,200.00	$8,200.00
Removing Snow and Sanding Streets, appropriation, March			$6,500.00
Appropriation November 9 from excess and deficiency			1,000.00

Transfer from Reserve Fund.			$14.36
Refund.....			7.50
Expenditures:.....			$7,521.86
Pay rolls (for detail see end of report):			
Labor.....	$3,870.59		
Trucks, etc.....	3,310.39		
		$7,180.98	
Sand, etc.:			
Boston Sand and Gravel Co., 32.8 tons.....	$14.29		
Ira N. Pratt, 20 loads.....	10.00		
Estate E. E. Bates, 20 loads.	10.00		
		34.29	
Snow fence:			
Dyar Sales and Machine Co., fence.....	$52.50		
Freight and express.....	8.15		
		60.65	
Wiring Town Hall shed, one-half cost, P. L. Towle....		19.55	
Repairs, tools, etc.:			
John N. MacNeill.....	$8.40		
William P. Malley.....	25.39		
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.....	47.50		
H. H. Ellsworth.....	46.54		
P. I. Perkins Co.....	11.15		
Cohasset Hardware Co.....	14.85		
Express.....	.49		
		154.32	
Gas and oil:			
Cohasset Motor Co.....	$31.70		
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.....	7.40		
A. L. Ahearn.....	5.60		
Clarence J. Silvia.....	4.00		
		48.70	

Miscellaneous:			
P. I. Perkins Co., supplies...	$11.89		
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co., 2,000 lbs.....	9.21		
Samuel Kutzer.....	16.45		
George Jason, tractor numbers	4.00		
S. H. Stoughton, two bags cement.....	2.50		
Reddy's Battery Shop, supplies.....	.65		
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.....	2.00		
Express.....	1.89		
		$48.59	
Insurance:			
Employers' Liability on $8,000, W. H. Pratt.....		213.84	
Balance over appropriations, etc. to 1930 accounts.....			$239.06
		$7,760.92	$7,760.92

Street Lighting, appropriation			$9,754.36
Appropriations, one light each on Sohier and Hill Streets.			44.00
For January, February, March and April, each month:			
400 c.p. at 1.833 per month	$733.20		
19 c.p. at 4. per month....	76.00		
1 60 W. Mult.....	1.83		
		$3,244.12	
	$811.03		
For May, 401 c.p. at 1.833 per month.....	$734.85		
19–250 c.p. at 4.....	76.00		
1 200 W. M.....	1.83		

Also 200 W.M., Main Street near police station..	$3.35		
		$816.03	
For June, 401–60 c.p. at 1.833	$735.03		
20–250 c.p. at 4 . . .	80.00		
1 60 W. M.	1.83		
Hill Street, one light	.61		
		817.47	
For July, August, September, October, November and December, 6 months as follows:			
402 c.p. at 1.833 per month	$736.87		
20–250 c.p. at 4. per month	80.00		
1 60 W. M. at	1.83		
		4,912.20	
	$818.70		
Paid Electric Light and Power Co.		$9,789.82	
Balance to Treasury		8.54	
		$9,798.36	$9,798.36
STREET SIGNS, appropriation . .			$210.00
Expenditures:			
Evernu Century Sign Co., for 21 "No Parking" signs. . . .	$100.00		
Memorial signs, etc.	20.00		
Angle irons	15.00		
		$135.00	
George Jason, labor and materials		44.80	
E. H. Stoughton, two bags cement		1.80	

George F. Sargent, care fountain, Beechwood.....		$5.00	
		$186.60	
Balance to Treasury.....		23.40	
		$210.00	$210.00
HARBOR MAINTENANCE, appropriation.....			$850.00
Expenditures:			
Service and labor:			
John J. Grassie, Harbor Master.....	$280.00		
Joseph S. Enos, Assistant Harbor Master.....	167.50		
Joseph S. Enos, care of grounds.....	35.11		
Martin G. Grassie.....	10.00		
Joseph M. Silvia.....	27.00		
Arne Petersen.....	45.00		
Foster Cadoze.....	17.00		
John Pattison.....	62.50		
John Oliver.....	5.00		
		$649.11	
A. C. Trojano, blasting.....		30.00	
Supplies, etc.:			
Cohasset Hardware Co.....	$98.13		
Jerry McCarthy, 13 barrels..	29.50		
Reddy's Battery Shop, chains	30.23		
George F. Welch Lumber Co.	6.15		
William P. Malley.....	6.75		
		170.76	
		$849.87	
Balance to Treasury.....		.13	
		$850.00	$850.00

TAKING OF EUSTIS' LAND AND BUILDING DRAIN:		
Appropriation November 9, from excess and deficiency.		$400.00
Paid Lewis W. Perkins, plan of taking.....	$24.05	
Balance to 1930 accounts..	375.95	
	$400.00	$400.00

CHARITIES AND SOLDIERS' BENEFITS

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Appropriation for three accounts, General Administration, Outside Poor and Cohasset Home.....			$17,115.00
Appropriation November 9, from Excess and Deficiency			500.00
(Nothing paid from the $500 for mowing bushes in 1929)			
GENERAL ADMINISTRATION:			
Salaries of Overseers:			
William H. McGaw.....	$200.00		
Herbert L. Brown.....	200.00		
Darius W. Gilbert.....	35.47		
William O. Souther, Jr....	164.53		
		$600.00	
Printing, stationery, etc.....		16.03	
Transportation, Edward R. Jason.....		16.66	
Total for General Administration.....		$632.69	

Outside Poor:		
W. H. McGaw, reimbursement for cash paid.....		$5.62
Groceries and provisions:		
F. W. Wheelwright.....	$136.83	
C. H. Trott Co.....	70.84	
Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.	35.00	
White Bros.....	28.20	
Whiting Milk Co.....	18.75	
Stephen Pagliaro.....	47.40	
George Young.....	6.75	
E. H. Brown.....	68.93	
James D. Bates.....	6.03	
		$418.73
Fuel:		
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co., 66,215 lbs. coal.....	$526.02	
Wood.....	47.80	
Ira N. Pratt, wood.....	70.00	
George R. Wagner, wood..	7.00	
P. T. Frost.....	20.00	
		670.82
Board and Care:		
Lillian M. Earle.....	$195.00	
Ellen H. Lincoln.....	280.00	
		475.00
Medicine and Medical Attendance:		
Dr. Edward H. Schott.....	$300.00	
Dr. Frederick Hinchliffe....	300.00	
F. W. Browne Pharmacy....	56.10	
Donovan Drug Co.....	7.90	
		664.00
Cash aid.....		4,142.63
Rent:		
Joseph E. Grassie.....	$575.00	
Katherine Murphy.....	240.00	

Frank Meallo	$240.00	
Mary White	60.00	
Lot Phillips Corporation	96.00	
Mary Reilly	80.00	
Annie G. Keating	40.00	
Whitman Co-op Bank	23.85	
		$1,354.85
Boston City Hospital		184.31
Miscellaneous supplies:		
M. S. Leonard, stove	$25.00	
Cohasset Hardware Co.	36.78	
		61.78
Telephone		2.80
Clothes:		
L. Levine	$114.65	
M. J. Sullivan	60.60	
E. E. H. Souther	78.70	
E. H. Brown	3.29	
W. H. McGaw	15.85	
		273.09
Transportation, J. F. James		20.00
Cleaning:		
M. G. Carlson	$30.00	
Old Colony Laundry Co.	7.95	
		37.95
Funerals:		
C. W. & E. H. Sparrell	$135.00	
C. L. Rice & Son	110.00	
		245.00
Nursing:		
Lillian M. Earle	$185.00	
F. J. Antoine	10.00	
		195.00
Total for Outside Poor		$8,751.58

Cohasset Home		
Superintendent, Elmer J. Louie		$1,200.00
Expense of Superintendent, automobile tax		16.90
Other employees (inside):		
Rose Renaud	$326.00	
Rose Neagle	11.00	
Mrs. F. A. Cortez	5.25	
		342.25
Groceries and provisions:		
Minot Market	$618.54	
C. H. Trott Co.	404.54	
		1,023.08
Buildings:		
John N. MacNeill, new heater	$515.00	
John N. MacNeill, supplies	9.58	
M. S. Leonard, plumbing, etc.	60.85	
Bosworth & Beal, wiring	28.00	
Cohasset Hardware Co., for pound	1.39	
Cohasset Hardware Co., supplies	.50	
George F. Welch Co., for pound	15.20	
Inspection of boilers	5.00	
		635.52
Fuel:		
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co., 126,375 lbs. coal		996.36
Light:		
Electric Light and Power Co.		100.35
Hay and Grain:		
Fannie J. Story		678.26
Clothes:		
Massachusetts Reformatory for Women	$0.87	
Massachusetts State Prison	13.09	
		13.96

Telephone		$43.45
All other:		
C. W. & E. H. Sparrell, funeral	$120.00	
Donovan Drug Co.	49.45	
M. J. Sullivan, stable blanket, etc.	8.25	
F. W. Browne, Pharmacy	2.75	
D. W. Gilbert, V. S.	6.00	
Express	1.48	
		187.93
Newspapers:		
Joseph St. John	$10.40	
E. E. H. Souther	13.00	
		23.40
House supplies:		
John N. MacNeill, tools	$6.70	
Cohasset Hardware Co.	30.31	
D. S. Campbell, repairing clock	2.50	
Massachusetts Reformatory for Women	12.64	
E. H. Brown, tobacco	3.60	
Benjamin Nichols, tonsorial work	13.95	
Massachusetts State Prison, mattress	27.00	
		96.70
Outside supplies:		
Cohasset Hardware Co.	$99.05	
John F. Hill, 150 chickens	37.50	
John N. MacNeill	36.07	
William P. Malley	21.25	
Charles F. Fish, sharpening mower	2.25	

Outside labor:		
Julian Strang	$84.75	
William Powers	80.00	
William Loughman	24.00	
		$384.87
Insurance:		
E. N. Tower	$153.50	
G. F. Sargent, Jr.	153.50	
M. S. P. Williams	12.00	
Employers' Liability (on 1,700) W. H. Pratt	32.90	
		351.90
Gas, oil, etc., Reddy's Battery Shop		22.80
Total for "Home"		$6,117.73

RECAPITULATION OF POOR ACCOUNTS

Appropriation for three accounts		$17,115.00
Appropriation, special of November 9		500.00
Expenditures:		
General Administration	$632.69	
Outside Poor	8,751.58	
Cohasset Home	6,117.73	
Total for Poor in 1929	$15,502.00	
Balance to Treasury	2,113.00	
	$17,615.00	$17,615.00

Of the above balance, $500 was a special appropriation of November 9, for mowing bushes, none of which was expended during 1929.

NET COST OF POOR IN 1929:		
General Administration.....	$632.69	
Outside Poor.....	6,850.56	
Cohasset Home.....	4,730.73	
	$12,213.98	

SOLDIERS' BENEFITS:		
STATE AID, appropriation.....		$216.00
Expenditures, pay rolls.....	$216.00	

SOLDIERS' AND SAILORS' RELIEF, appropriation.....		$1,100.00
Appropriation December 2, from excess and deficiency.		200.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund.		2.38
Expenditures:		
Cash.....	$1,195.00	
Fuel, Lincoln Bros. Coal Co., 8,425 lbs.....	67.78	
Nursing.....	11.60	
Medical attendance, Dr. W. H. Chapman.....	14.00	
Shoes, M. J. Sullivan.....	14.00	
	$1,302.38	$1,302.38

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

SCHOOLS, general maintenance, appropriation in March...	$76,590.00
Appropriation November 9, from excess and deficiency.	6.38
Refunds.....	71.81
Transfer to Board of Health, District Nurse.....	250.00

State reimbursement on account of teachers' salaries, included in income tax, $4,675		
Expenditures (for detail, as to teachers' and janitors' salaries, see end of report):		
School Committee, services:		
O. K. Collins, Secretary.....	$25.00	
Edward L. Stevens, financial secretary.....	100.00	
		$125.00
School Committee, expenses:		
Postage, F. V. Stanley.....		1.60
Telephones:		
Osgood School.....	$88.84	
Ripley Road School.....	79.59	
Beechwood School.....	9.09	
M. H. Meyer.....	65.14	
L. Mulvey.....	25.05	
T. A. Stevens.....	25.12	
		292.83
Printing, stationery, etc.....		50.25
Superintendent, services, O. K. Collins.....		2,024.00
Superintendent, expenses, including clerk.....		313.56
Superintendent, truant officer, H. J. Pelletier.....		100.00
Teachers' salaries:		
High.....	$12,921.91	
Elementary.....	28,295.67	
		41,217.58
Teachers' — Club work.....		300.00
Health ($250 transferred to "District Nurse")		737.59

Text and reference books:		
High	$625.45	
Elementary	1,281.99	
		1,907.44
Supplies:		
High	$1,243.53	
Elementary	1,927.85	
		3,171.38
Vocational education		769.64
Transportation:		
High	$2,127.73	
Elementary	4,055.90	
		6,183.63
Janitors' services:		
High	$1,015.50	
Elementary	3,167.40	
		4,182.90
Light and power:		
High	$387.10	
Elementary	670.69	
		1,057.79
Fuel:		
High	$369.84	
Elementary	1,291.32	
		1,661.16
Maintenance of buildings and grounds:		
Repairs:		
High	$1,877.49	
Elementary	3,320.72	
		5,198.21
Janitors' supplies:		
High	$105.41	
Elementary	255.83	
		361.24

All other:			
High	$116.58		
Elementary	166.90		
		$283.48	
Fire Loss		8.00	
Furniture and furnishings:			
High	$3.22		
Elementary	23.50		
		26.72	
Diplomas and graduation exercises		124.75	
Insurance		761.05	
Lunch		5,569.35	
All other		108.63	
Total for maintenance		$76,537.78	
Outlay:			
Building		356.46	
		$76,894.24	
Balance to Treasury		23.95	
		$76,918.19	$76,918.19
Schools: replacements on account of fire:			
Received from insurance companies			$11,337.50
Expenditures:			
Adjusting		$25.00	
Textbooks:			
High	$48.31		
Elementary	212.14		
		260.45	
Supplies:			
High	$281.56		
Elementary	15.22		
		296.78	

Maintenance of building, repairs:			
High	$4,511.57		
Elementary	5,870.94		
		$10,382.51	
Bond of Pemberton		44.40	
		$11,009.14	
Balance to Treasury		328.36	
		$11,337.50	$11,337.50

LIBRARIES: appropriation			$5,800.00
Expenditures:			
Paul Pratt Memorial:			
Rev. F. V. Stanley, treasurer	$5,353.61		
Telephone	46.39		
		$5,400.00	
Nantasket Branch, James A. Brickett, treasurer		400.00	
		$5,800.00	$5,800.00

TOWN COMMONS AND PARKS, appropriation			$1,600.00
Appropriation for new mower not expended			300.00
Expenditures:			
Labor:			
Charles F. Wilbur	$662.50		
Edwin J. Mealy	587.50		
		$1,250.00	
Trucks, William T. Barnes		24.00	
Dust, Bradford Weston, 7.10 tons		14.20	

Tools and supplies:			
Charles T. Fish, sharpening mower	$29.25		
Cohasset Hardware Co.	15.58		
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc., 25 gallons gas	7.50		
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc., gallon oil	1.30		
John N. MacNeill	.40		
William P. Malley	.75		
George E. Kimball & Son	1.50		
S. H. Stoughton, cement	.90		
		$57.18	
Billings-Pratt Park, care of, George F. Sargent		50.00	
Park, corner Beechwood and King Streets, care of, Warren Stevens		30.00	
Miscellaneous parks, labor, Joseph S. Enos:			
Guild Hall	$44.40		
John W. Sidney	28.20		
Stoddard	17.52		
Cousens	13.09		
Balance due from 1928	2.00		
		105.21	
		$1,530.59	
Balance to Treasury		369.41	
		$1,900.00	$1,900.00

Of the above balance, $300 was appropriated for new power mower, which was not bought.

WHEELWRIGHT PARK, appropriation			$650.00
Expenditures:			
Superintendent, Joseph E. Grassie		$54.00	
Pay rolls (for detail see end of report)			
Labor	$518.50		
Trucks, etc.	17.00		
		535.50	
Mowing, William T. Barnes		27.00	
Miscellaneous:			
George F. Newton, drawings for gateways	$20.00		
S. H. Stoughton, six bags of cement	5.40		
E. R. Shedd, repairing sign	1.00		
		26.40	
		$642.90	
Balance to Treasury		7.10	
		$650.00	$650.00

WADLEIGH PARK, appropriation			$200.00
Expenditures:			
Labor, Ernest G. Coles		$65.00	
William P. Malley, sharpening mower		2.50	
		$67.50	
Balance to Treasury		132.50	
		$200.00	$200.00

PLAYGROUNDS, BASEBALL FIELD, appropriation			$500.00
Expenditures:			
Care of field, M. J. Sullivan		$75.00	
Charles R. Jason, labor	$35.00		
Charles R. Jason, loam	84.00		
		119.00	
Hyland & McGaw, repairing backstop		61.88	
Hyland & McGaw, lumber		2.00	
Labor, mowing:			
Louis Salvador	$10.00		
Charles R. Stover	10.00		
		20.00	
William P. Malley, drive pins		1.00	
E. R. Shedd, two signs		3.25	
Cohasset Hardware Co.:			
Lawn mower	$20.00		
Cocoa mat	18.50		
Markers and lime	7.50		
		46.00	
John N. MacNeill, three bags of calcium chloride		15.75	
		$343.88	
Balance to Treasury		156.12	
		$500.00	$500.00

Damages to Persons and Property, appropriation		$100.00
Damages to automobiles:		
John J. Ferreira, to tire	$12.00	
Peter J. Rooney, to spring	7.00	
William H. Pratt, to spring	7.00	

William O. Souther, Jr., to automobile	$4.75		
B. N. Leclair	7.00		
		$37.75	
Balance to Treasury		62.25	
		$100.00	$100.00

Memorial Day, appropriation		$500.00
Memorial Day, dinner		150.00
Paid A. J. McLellan, treasurer George H. Mealy Post, American Legion	$500.00	
Paid Mary J. Salvador, treasurer American Legion Auxiliary, for dinner	150.00	
	$650.00	$650.00

Photographs of Men Lost in War, appropriation		$550.00
Paid "Arts Imperishable" for five photographs	$550.00	

Town Clock, appropriation		$65.00
Paid Caleb Nichols, for care of clock	$52.00	
Paid Caleb Nichols, for oil	.50	
Paid Harry Wilkinson, repairing clock	8.50	
	$61.00	
Balance to Treasury	4.00	
	$65.00	$65.00

TOWN REPORTS, appropriation			$1,300 00
Expenditures:			
The Boundbrook Press:			
1,100 reports, 250 pages at $4.75	$1,187.50		
100 reports extra at 25 cents	25.00		
		$1,212.50	
Postage		1.00	
Delivering reports, Antoine's Express		32.00	
Balance to Treasury		$54.50	
		$1,300.00	$1,300.00

TOWN FLAG, appropriation		$200.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund		25.25
Expenditures:		
Caleb Nichols, for care of and repairs	$194.45	
Reformatory for Women, two flags 9 x 15	30.80	
	$225.25	$225.25

EMPLOYERS' LIABILITY INSURANCE, appropriation		$150.00
Refund		21.51
Paid William H. Pratt	$14.07	
Balance to Treasury	157.44	
	$171.51	$171.51

ENTERPRISES AND CEMETERY

North Cohasset Post Office Building, appropriation..		$200.00
Expenditures:		
Hyland & McGaw, repairs..	$144.79	
Fitzpatrick & Happenny, repairs to roof.....	21.70	
Arthur Studley, labor on doors, etc.....	6.00	
Burditt & Williams, door check.....	8.65	
George E. Kimball & Son, weather strip.....	2.62	
Hingham Water Co.....	7.00	
	$190.76	
Balance to Treasury.....	9.24	
	$200.00	$200.00

Guild and American Legion Hall, appropriation		$100.00
Expenditures:		
Cohasset Water Co.....	$23.00	
Manuel S. Leonard, labor on pipes.....	17.20	
Inspection of boiler.....	5.00	
	$45.20	
Balance to Treasury.....	54.80	
	$100.00	$100.00

Parking Place, Maintenance, appropriation.....	$500.00
Refunds.....	68.75

Expenditures:			
Hyland & McGaw, shingling, etc.		$339.52	
Evernu-Century Sign Co., sign		18.75	
Cohasset Water Co.		9.00	
E. R. Shedd, two signs		7.50	
C. A. Bowman, rent agent, N. Y., N. H., & H. Rd. Co.		5.00	
Pay roll, labor and trucks		86.00	
Insurance, J. T. Phelps & Co.		23.85	
		$489.62	
Balance to Treasury		79.13	
		$568.75	$568.75

Cemetery, Maintenance, appropriation			$810.00
Expenditures:			
Labor:			
Charles T. Wilbur	$357.50		
Edwin J. Mealy	327.50		
		$685.00	
Telephone, C. F. Wilbur		31.34	
Mowing and carting, W. T. Barnes		25.00	
Supplies, Cohasset Hardware Co.		15.50	
Frame for plan, Hyland & McGaw		3.00	
Sharpening mowers, Charles T. Fish		16.50	
Lumber, George E. Kimball & Son		5.76	
Oil, one gallon, Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.		1.30	

Writing deeds, Harry F. Tilden	$9.00	
Billheads, The Boundbrook Press	7.58	
Postage	1.70	
Employers' Liability Insurance on $400, W. H. Pratt	7.74	
	$809.42	
Balance to Treasury	.58	
	$810.00	$810.00

Cemetery, appropriation from, "Sale of Lots and Graves" fund		$2,250.00
Expenditures:		
Lewis W. Perkins, for surveying, plan, etc.	$340.00	
Old Colony Foundry Co., 698 markers and bags	123.78	
John N. MacNeill, for pipe	120.00	
Antoine's Express	4.50	
	$588.28	
Balance to 1930 Accounts	1,661.72	
	$2,250.00	$2,250.00

INTEREST AND MATURING DEBT

Interest, Anticipation Tax Loans, appropriation		$2,000.00
Transfer from Reserve Fund		1,379.33
Paid Rockland Trust Co.:		
Notes 105 and 106, due December 14, 1929, at 5.30% ($25,000 each)	1,987.50	

Notes 107 and 108, due November 1, 1929, at 5.35% ($25,000 each).....		$1,278.06	
Note 109, due October 15, 1929 at 5.25% ($15,000).		113.77	
		$3,379.33	$3,379.33

INTEREST, GENERAL, appropriation			$4,720.00
Paid Second National Bank, Boston, on Bridge			
Notes, due September 1, 4%	$360.00		
School loan, 4%.....	3,880.00		
		$4,240.00	
Paid Rockland Trust Co., Bridge Notes, due March 1, 1929, 4%.....		360.00	
		$4,600.00	
Balance to Treasury.....		120.00	
		$4,720.00	$4,720.00

Anticipation Tax Loans:		
Paid Rockland Trust Co.:		
Note 109, due October 15, 1929.....	$15,000.00	
Notes 107 and 108, due November 1, 1929.....	50,000.00	
Notes 105 and 106, due December 14, 1929.....	50,000.00	
	$115,000.00	

Bonds and Notes from Revenue, appropriation		$9,000.00
Paid Second National Bank, Boston:		
School note, due April 1, 1929	$6,000.00	
Gulf River Bridge note, due September 1, 1929.....	3,000.00	
	$9,000.00	$9,000.00

AGENCY AND TRUST, REFUNDS AND TRANSFERS

Reserve Fund, appropriation		$4,000.00
Transfers to following accounts:		
Finance Committee.....	$7.51	
Selectmen.....	153.67	
Assessors.....	111.25	
Election and Registration...	24.40	
Town Hall.....	1,800.00	
Police Department.....	415.33	
Board of Health, Selectmen.	39.58	
Removing Snow and Sanding Streets.....	14.36	
Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief.	2.38	
Town Flag.....	25.25	
Interest, Tax Loans.....	1,379.33	
	$3,973.06	
Balance to Treasury.....	26.94	
	$4,000.00	$4,000.00

Agency, appropriations.....			$24,579.52
State Taxes:			
State Tax, general.....	$11,135.00		
Metropolitan Parks, Sinking Fund.....	11.33		

Metropolitan Parks, Interest	$56.09		
Metropolitan Parks, Nantasket Maintenance.....	219.39		
Auditing municipal accounts	43.46		
State Highway.....	2,116.36		
		$13,581.63	
County Tax.....		10,997.89	
		$24,579.52	$24,579.52

AGENCY:

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, liquor license, third class, ¼.....	$0.25	
Trust Co. tax refund.....	22.38	
National Bank, 1926.....	7.20	
National Bank, 1928.....	1.34	
	$31.17	

TRUST FUNDS: (Received $1,503.78)

Paid:

For care lot, Beechwood Cemetery.....	$3.78	
To create fund under will of Edith M. Bates for improvement of Town Common and Pond.....	1,500.00	
	$1,503.78	

Refunds:

1928 personal tax, Mary E. Fleming.....	$10.32	
1929 poll, Martin E. Nelson.	2.00	
1929 excise taxes on automobiles.....	91.62	
	$103.94	

RECAPITULATION AND INDEX FOR 1929

Accounts for 1929	Page	Total Amount Paid	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Refunds	Receipts	Balance to Treasury	Carried to 1930 Accounts
General Government								
Moderator	64	$100.00	$100.00					
Finance Committee	65	157.51	150.00	$7.51				
Selectmen	65	1,703.78	1,500.00	153.67	$50.11			
Auditor and Accountant	66	2,499.24	2,500.00				$0.76	
Treasurer	66	2,100.00	2,100.00					
Collector	67	2,100.00	2,100.00			$43.00		
Assessors	67	2,113.60	2,000.00	111.25	2.35			
Finance Offices, Registration of Notes	68	10.00	20.00				10.00	
Law, Legal Counsel	68	750.00	750.00					
Town Clerk	68	900.00	900.00					
Engineering, maintenance	69	199.45	200.00				.55	
Engineering, outlay	69	493.30	500.00				6.70	
Election and Registration	69	1,274.40	1,250.00	24.40				
Town Hall, general maintenance	71	7,803.12	6,000.00	1,800.00	7.71	780.23	4.59	
Town Hall, remodeling (special appropriation $329.25); $11,147.85 from 1928	74	11,477.10						
Town Hall, Equipment	75	1,000.00	1,000.00					

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Accounts for 1929	Page	Total Amount Paid	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Refunds	Receipts	Balance to Treasury	Carried to 1930 Accounts
Protection of Persons and Property								
Police Department	75	$17,385.00	$16,970.00	$415.33				
Fire Department, including grounding of fire alarm boxes	77	17,519.64	17,539.00		$8.00	$10.65	$27.36	
Fire Department, hydrant service (special appropriation $68.75)	84	8,743.75	8,675.00					
Inspection of Wires	85	1,000.00	1,000.00			97.50		
Sealer of Weights and Measures	85	384.91	400.00			55.48	15.09	
Moth Suppression (special appropriation $9.70)	86	5,509.05	5,500.00			57.86	.65	
Moth Suppression, new power sprayer	87	398.50	400.00				1.50	
Tree Warden	87	2,347.53	2,350.00				2.47	
Forest Fires (special appropriation $300)	88	1,701.78	1,500.00		5.04		103.26	
Bounties	89	10.00	10.00			7.50		
Health and Sanitation								
Board of Health, general	90	3,025.57	3,620.00			134.20	594.43	
Tuberculosis Hospital	91	2,618.44	2,618.44					
Dental Dispensary	91	1,114.13	1,200.00				85.87	
District Nurse, transfer to from Schools, $250	91	1,100.00	1,100.00					

Inspection of Animals	92	150.00	150.00				
Inspection of Meat and Provisions	92	50.00	50.00				
Inspection of Milk and Vinegar	92	150.00	200.00				50.00
Refuse and Garbage Disposal	92	717.75	700.00		20.00		2.25
Land for Dump	93		500.00				500.00
James Brook, Straits Pond, Cat Dam, etc. (special appropriation, $10)	93	1,352.00	1,500.00				158.00
Draining Land, Selectmen	94	39.58		39.58			
Eradication of Mosquitoes (Town holds $2,500, subscribed)	95	2,482.22	2,500.00				17.78
Highways							
Highways, general (special appropriation $513.35)	96	27,567.85	27,063.00			$180.00	8.50
Fore River Bridge	100	780.00	1,000.00				220.00
Tarring Streets	100	6,472.57	6,500.00				27.43
Lambert's Lane, repairs	101	1,149.24	1,150.00				.76
Concrete sidewalk, South Main Street	101	497.20	500.00				2.80
Sidewalk and curb, Doane Street	101	150.00	150.00				
Pond Street Improvement	102	8,199.57	8,200.00				.43
Removing snow and sanding streets (special appropriation of $1,000 and balance over to 1930 accounts of $239.06)	102	7,760.92	6,500.00	14.36	7.50	314.00	
Street Lighting	104	9,789.82	9,798.36				8.54

RECAPITULATION AND INDEX FOR 1929—*Continued*

Accounts for 1929	Page	Total Amount Paid	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Refunds	Receipts	Balance to Treasury	Carried to 1930 Accounts
Highways — continued								
Street Signs	105	$186.60	$210.00				$23.40	
Harbor Maintenance	106	849.87	850.00				.13	
Taking Eustis Land, South Main Street, for drain (special appropriation of $500)	107	24.05						$375.95
Charities and Soldiers' Benefits								
Department of Public Welfare ($500 appropriated from excess and deficiency, not expended for mowing bushes at Home)	107							
General Administration	107	632.69						
Outside Poor	108	8,751.58	17,115.00			$1,901.02	2,113.00	
Cohasset Home	110	6,117.73				1,387.00		
State Aid	113	216.00	216.00			278.00		
Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief (special appropriation of $200)	113	1,302.38	1,100.00	$2.38				
Schools and Libraries								
School Department, maintenance (transfer from to District Nurse of $250; special appropriation of $6.38)	113	76,894.24	76,590.00		$71.81	5,178.24	23.95	

School Department, fire loss	116	11,009.14				11,337.50	328.36	
School Department, balance Ripley Road School Building	117							2,779.90
Libraries	117	5,800.00	5,800.00					
Recreation and Unclassified								
Town Commons and Parks	117	1,530.59	1,900.00				369.41	
Wheelwright Park	119	642.90	650.00			3.00	7.10	
Wadleigh Park	119	67.50	200.00				132.50	
Playgrounds and Baseball Field	120	343.88	500.00				156.12	
Damages to Persons and Property	120	37.75	100.00				62.25	
Memorial Day and Dinner	121	650.00	650.00					
Photographs of Men Lost in War	121	550.00	550.00					
Town Clock	121	61.00	65.00				4.00	
Town Reports	122	1,245.50	1,300.00				54.50	
Town Flag	122	225.25	200.00	25.25				
Employers' Liability Insurance	122	4.07	150.00		21.51		157.44	
Enterprises and Cemeteries								
North Cohasset post office building	123	190.76	200.00			200.00	9.24	
Guild and American Legion building	123	45.20	100.00			4.00	54.80	
Parking Place, maintenance	123	489.62	500.00		68.75	275.00	79.13	
Cemeteries, maintenance	124	809.42	810.00			806.75	.58	
Cemeteries, from Sale of Lots and Graves Fund	125	588.28	2,250.00					1,661.72

RECAPITULATION AND INDEX FOR 1929 — *Concluded*

Accounts for 1929	Page	Total Amount Paid	Appropriations	Transfers from Reserve Fund	Refunds	Receipts	Balance to Treasury	Carried to 1930 Accounts
Interest and Municipal Indebtedness								
Interest, tax loans	125	$3,379.33	$2,000.00	$1,379.33				
Interest, general	126	4,600.00	4,720.00				$120.00	
Anticipation tax loans	126	115,000.00				$115,000.00		
Bonds and notes from revenue	127	9,000.00	9,000.00					
Agency and Trust, Refunds and Transfers								
Reserve Fund ($3,973.06 transferred)	127		4,000.00				26.94	
Agency, state and county taxes	127	24,579.52						
Agency, refund of taxes to state, etc.	128	31.17						
Agency, refunds and transfers	128	103.94				512.78		
Unclassified						103.61		
Trust	128	1,503.78				4,000.00		
General revenue receipts of 1929						304,829.20		
		$442,322.59	$282,139.80	$3,973.06	$262.78	$451,563.67	$5,572.57	$4,817.57
Less transfer from Schools to District Nurse		250.00				250.00		
Total cash payments and receipts		$442,072.59				$451,313.67		

Total appropriations in March forward..		$282,139.80
Deduct appropriations from Sale of Lots and Graves Fund		2,250.00
		$279,889.80
Add State taxes.....		13,581.63
Add County tax.....		10,997.89
Add Overlay.....		4,556.87
		$309,026.19
Deduct estimated receipts.....	$57,700.00	
Deduct polls (996).....	1,992.00	59,692.00
Net total to be raised.....		$249,334.19

Cash balance, January 1, 1929.....		$36,377.43
Received in 1929 (cash).....		451,313.67
		$487,691.10
Total cash payments in 1929.....		442,072.59
Cash balance January 1, 1930.....		$45,618.51
Chargeable against above balance:		
Town Hall Fund.....	$1,197.66	
Taking Eustis land, etc.....	375.95	
Balance, Ripley Road building....	2,779.90	
Cemetery — Sale of Lots and Graves.....	2,806.02	
Surplus War Bonus Fund	575.24	
Moth, 1924.....	1,500.00	
Mosquitoes, subscriptions.....	2,500.00	
Elm Street, land.....	206.90	11,941.67
		$33,676.84

Special appropriations from excess and deficiency:		
Meeting of November 9, 1929:		
Taking of Eustis land and constructing drain	$400.00	
Removing snow and sanding streets	1,000.00	
Highways, general	500.00	
Town Hall, remodeling	329.25	
Moth work, 1928	9.70	
Hydrant rental, 1928	68.75	
Board of Health, Mill Bridge, 1927	10.00	
Highways, 1926 and 1927	13.35	
School Department, 1926	6.38	
Cohasset Home, mowing bushes	500.00	
		$2,837.43
Meeting of December 2, 1929:		
Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief	$200.00	
Forest Fires	300.00	$500.00
		$3,337.43

TRUST FUNDS

Schools

Ripley Fund:	
On hand January 1, 1929 . . .	$1,441.46
Dividends earned in 1929 . . .	72.96
On hand January 1, 1930 . . .	$1,514.42
James W. Nichols Fund:	
On hand January 1, 1929 . . .	$2,359.05
Dividends earned in 1929 . . .	58.98
	$2,418.03
Withdrawn for scholarship . .	200.00
	$2,218.03
Dividend earned in 1929	60.45
On hand January 1, 1930 . . .	$2,278.48

Parks

Robert Charles Billings Fund:	
Town Commons (Centre):	
On hand January 1, 1929 . . .	$1,150.00
Dividends earned in 1929 . . .	57.50
	$1,207.50
Received by Town in 1929 . .	57.50
On hand January 1, 1930 . . .	$1,150.00
Billings-Pratt Park, Beechwood:	
On hand January 1, 1929 . . .	$1,000.00
Dividends earned in 1929 . . .	50.00
	$1,050.00
Received by Town in 1929 . .	50.00
On hand January 1, 1930 . . .	$1,000.00

Horace W. Wadleigh Fund:		
On hand January 1, 1929. . .	$5,000.00	
Dividends earned in 1929. . .	250.00	
	$5,250.00	
Received by Town in 1929. .	250.00	
On hand January 1, 1930. . .	$5,000.00	
Wheelwright Park Fund:		
On hand January 1, 1929. . .	$15,000.00	
Dividends earned in 1929. . .	750.00	
	$15,750.00	
Received by Town in 1929. .	750.00	
On hand January 1, 1930. . .	$15,000.00	
Edith M. Bates Fund (for care of Town Common and Pond at Centre):		
Received under will and deposited in the Cohasset Savings Bank.		$1,500.00

CEMETERY TRUST FUND

Beechwood, Williams Lot Fund:	
On hand January 1, 1929. . .	$75.00
Dividends earned in 1929. . .	3.78
	$78.78
Received and paid out by the Town in 1929.	3.78
On hand January 1, 1930. . .	$75.00

SURPLUS WAR BONUS FUND

On hand January 1, 1930, in general cash.	$575.24

UNPAID BILLS OF 1929

Town Hall:		
Sentry Products Co.	$13.75	
Hyland & McGaw	60.30	
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co.	225.88	
John N. MacNeill	14.29	
Edmund D. Bates	3.00	
W. W. Wade	5.00	
Old Colony Gas Co.	2.02	
David Souther, Jr.	3.60	
Bosworth & Beal	1.60	
Cohasset Hardware Co.	15.56	
P. L. Towle	2.65	
Elec. L. & P. Co.	51.30	
		$398.95
Elections: John F. James		$14.00
Police Department:		
Telephone bills, 2 months	$57.65	
Elec. L. & P. Co.	53.28	
Elec. L. & P. Co., additional	11.94	
Old Colony Gas	55.27	
J. A. Simeone	30.00	
E. E. H. Souther	17.75	
Cohasset Hardware Co.	2.45	
Margaret T. Kane	25.25	
The A G A Co.	80.00	
Ruiter Motor Sales	73.84	
Reddy's Battery Shop	3.00	
Bosworth & Beal	2.70	
		$413.13
Water for Hydrants		$25.00
Moth Suppression:		
John N. MacNeill	$1.50	
Cohasset Hardware Co.	2.09	
F. W. Wheelwright, rent	150.00	
Minot Market	20.00	
		$173.59

Tree Warden:			
William P. Malley		$7.00	
Cohasset Hardware		10.17	
E. E. H. Souther		.40	
			$17.57
Highways:			
A. Studley		$16.50	
Margaret T. Kane		25.00	
Cohasset Hardware		49.29	
Bradford Weston		29.25	
Reddy's Battery Shop		15.40	
			$135.44
			57.54
Snow & Sanding:			
W. P. Malley		$9.40	
Cohasset Hardware Co		19.60	
Ruiter Motor Sales Inc		24.57	
F. W. Browne Phar		.90	
			$54.47
Department of Public Welfare, Cohasset Home:			
Minot Market	$40.31		
C. H. Trott Co	40.75		
Cohasset Hardware Co	5.75		
John N. MacNeill	.20		
Joseph St. John	5.20		
E. E. H. Souther	8.15		
Reddy's Battery Shop	2.00		
		$102.36	
Department of Public Welfare, Outside Poor:			
C. H. Trott Co	$9.14		
S. Pagliaro	4.65		
James M. Sweeney	3.78		
M. J. Sullivan	16.75		
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co	21.88	56.20	158.56

Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief:				
Lincoln Bros. Coal Co....				$17.63
Schools:				
Electric Light & Power Co.				
Osgood, lighting.....		$103.80		
Ripley, lighting.....		18.45		
Osgood, lighting, annex...		3.15		
Beechwood, lighting.....		1.00		
Osgood, power.....		15.93		
Osgood, power, additional		1.00		
		$143.33		
Osgood, heating...	$22.64			
Ripley, heating...	20.28	42.92		
			$186.25	
Cohasset Hardware Co.....			1.60	
Bosworth & Beal.....			3.70	
Litchfield's Express.....			2.35	
C. H. Trott Co.....			3.74	
Cohasset Hardware Co.....			25.07	
Reddy's Battery Shop.....			3.05	
F. W. Browne Pharmacy....			4.75	
				230.51
Cemetery:				
William P. Malley.....			$1.50	
Cohasset Hardware Co.....			1.00	
				2.50
North Cohasset P. O. Building:				
Hyland & McGaw.....				73.17
				$1,772.06

LIABILITIES OF COHASSET AS OF JANUARY 1, 1930

Gulf River Bridge (Border Street) 4% notes, $1,000 each dated September 1, 1924, payable $3,000 annually ...	$15,000.00

New School Building, Ripley Road, 4% school loan bonds, dated April 1, 1926, payable $6,000 on the first day of April in each of the years 1930 to 1938 inclusive, and $5,000 on the first day of April in each of the years 1939 to 1946 inclusive.....		$94,000.00
		$109,000.00

FIXED PROPERTY, OUTLAY OF 1929

Engineering (tax plat surveying, etc.).....	$493 30	
Town Hall, balance for remodeling	11,477 10	
Schools, amount paid Edward Nichols, architect	356.46	
Cemetery, plans and laying out lots, etc.	588.28	
		$12,915.14

Respectfully submitted,

EDWARD L. STEVENS,
Town Accountant.

January 18, 1930.

FIREMEN'S PAY

Including $2.00 paid annually

Austin L. Ahearn	$21.50
Frank J. Antoine	15.50
J. Lewis Bates	2.00
Joe Bates	5.25
Lot E. Bates, truck and labor	36.25
Louis Bottanican	2.00
Joseph R. Brennock	40.75
William J. Brennock	3.50
William J. Brennock, 2d	27.00
Ralph Brickett	2.00
Harold Brown	2.00
William Burke	19.25
Foster Cadose	1.25
Arthur Clark	2.00
Harry Clark	6.50
P. Coakley	3.50
T. Frank or J. Frank Collins	6.00
William Dyment or William Dimond	5.25
L. Doherty	5.00
John J. F. Doherty	.75
J. H. Donovan	2.00
Paul V. (or L.) Donovan	14.00
William Dyment	2.75
Hudson Ellsworth	2.25
Joseph G. Enos	5.00
Ralph Enos	2.75
Anthony Ferreira	2.00
John Ferreira	8.00
Joseph Ferreira	5.25
Edward Fitzpatrick	36.50
Alfred Frates	3.00
Charles E. Frates, labor and truck	12.50
P. Flynn	2.00
Edward B. Gammons	14.75
Anthony M. Gonsalves	11.75
Edward Grassie	5.00
John J. Grassie	23.00
Joseph E. Grassie, labor and truck	115.75
Martin G. Grassie	12.50
Norman Grassie	3.00
Stephen J. Grassie	32.50
J. Happenny	3.50
T. Walter Hernan	3.50
C. Hunter	8.75
Rufus James	6.50
F. T. Jason	$2.00
Edward R. Jason	9.00
John Kennedy	43.25
Lawrence F. Lincoln	6.00
Elwood F. Litchfield	5.75
John D. McLellan	12.50
J. McNamara	2.00
Milton McNamara	.75
Fred Maitland	4.00
E. Parker Malley	3.75
Frank F. Martin, Jr.	2.00
Charles Mitchell	2.00
George G. Monteiro	24.50
Albert J. Morris	3.50
D. Mulcahy	2.00
Roger Nicherson	1.50
John J. Oliver	11.75
Joseph L. Oliver	38.75
S. Pagliaro	2.75
Harry A. Pattison	20.75
John Pattison	19.25
Alfred J. Petersen	13.25
Arne Petersen	15.50
Charles Philbrook	3.75
Aaron Pratt	2.00
Charles H. Pratt	15.50
Paul W. Pratt	12.50
Roscoe G. Pratt	28.25
Clarence S. Reddy	26.75
Edward T. Reilly	5.00
Bernard J. Salvador	24.75
Louis Salvador	25.00
Herbert C. Sargent	11.75
Ellery C. Sidney	26.00
Alfred M. Silvia	23.00
Antoine Silvia	3.75
Joseph M. Silvia	21.50
Joseph A. Silvia	9.00
Malcolm H. Stevens	9.75
Charles Stoddard	5.00
Edwin A. Stone	2.00
Ira B. P. Stoughton	4.50
Charles Stover, labor and automobile	37.00
Joseph A. Valine	8.75
Everett W. Wheelwright	33.50
Ralph L. (or D.) Wood	16.50
Herbert Williams	38.50

MOTH WORK

Atwood Ainslie	$35.00
Joseph Almeida	32.50
Frank J. Antoine	$52.50
Andrew Arnold	52.50

Arthur S. Bates	$80.00
William Barnes, truck	140.00
Ira Bates	77.50
Lot E. (W.) Bates, team	72.00
William or William H. Bates	62.50
Albert A. Beron	5.00
John Bean	27.50
C. C. or Clarence Burgess	22.50
Foster Cadoze	85.00
Edgar Clark	62.50
James F. Collins	37.00
Sanford L. Damon	155.00
Alfred Daley	50.00
George Denithorne	40.00
Robert E. Donovan	47.50
John Dyment	60.00
Joseph E. Grassie, automobile and labor	1,301.00
Edward Grassie, automobile and labor	95.00
Norman Grassie, automobile and labor	97.50
Stephen J. Grassie	297.50
William James	67.50
Francis James	77.50
Henry Keating	55.00
Chauncey Kilban	$42.50
John Kinsley	25.00
Albert L. Litchfield	17.50
Daniel McSweeney	55.00
Edward J. Mealy	37.50
Frank Mitchell	141.25
Herbert Nichols	5.00
Alfred D. Pease	67.50
Charles Philbrook, truck and labor	282.25
Ira Pratt	72.50
Peter J. Rooney	62.50
Antonio Rosano, Jr.	62.50
George or George F. Sargent	25.00
Louis Salvador	165.00
V. V. Sestito	5.00
Charles Stover, automobile and labor	127.50
Arthur Studley	60.00
John H. Sweeney	52.50
Joseph Whitcomb	35.00
George White	60.00
Herbert Williams	75.00
Charles F. Wilbur	37.50

TREE WARDEN

Atwood Ainslie	$25.00
Albert A. Beron	12.50
Charles Bennett	15.00
Reginald R. Beal	5.00
William Burke	20.00
Foster Cadoze	142.50
James F. Collins	100.00
Sanford Damon	5.00
Joseph Ferreira	15.00
Anthony M. Gonsalves	10.00
Joseph E. Grassie, automobile and labor	413.25
Edward T. Grassie	10.00
Norman Grassie	40.00
Stephen J. Grassie	202.50
Ernest D. Hill	10.00
Francis James	20.00
Rufus James, truck	70.00
William James	$5.00
Lawrence Lincoln, truck	84.00
William H. McArthur	35.00
William H. McArthur, Jr.	5.00
Frank Mitchell	5.00
Charles Philbrook, truck and labor	476.50
Roscoe Pratt, truck	49.00
Antonio Rosano, Jr.	20.00
Louis Salvador	80.00
Van Sidney	5.00
Charles Stover	92.50
John Sweeney	25.00
George R. Wagner, team and labor	17.00
Joseph Whitcomb	25.00
John White	40.00
Herbert Williams	2.50

FOREST FIRES

Austin L. Ahearn	$1.89
Henry Ahearn, Jr.	1.25
Francis Ainslie	1.88
William J. Almeida	2.50
Joseph C. Anderson	.63
Joseph Andrews	$2.51
Allen Bates	5.00
E. Parker Bates	8.75
Arthur S. Bates	9.38
Herbert Bates	15.00

Howard Bates	$5.63
Lot E. Bates, automobile and labor	5.77
Charles Bennett	1.25
John Beal	1.25
Henry Brassill	3.13
Joseph R. Brennock	35.07
William Brennock	3.13
William J. Brennock, 2d	50.55
Clarence C. Burgess	6.25
Herbert Burgess	3.13
William F. or J. Burke	34.43
William Cogill, Jr	3.13
Frank Collins	1.25
Sanford Damon	1.25
George Damon	3.13
John Davenport	.63
Frank DeMello	3.13
Albert DeMello	3.13
Paul V. Donovan	1.89
Noel Edwards	.63
Joseph G. Enos	.63
Joseph S. Enos	1.88
Ralph Enos	1.25
Patsy Feola	2.50
John J. Ferreiro	1.88
Lawrence Figureido	1.25
Walter Faria	1.25
Edward Fitzpatrick	1.25
Alfred Frates	1.25
George Frates	1.25
Edward B. Gammons	8.77
Fred Gardner	.63
Alfred Gonsalves	3.13
Anthony Gonsalves	16.90
Antoine Grassie	2.51
Clarence Grassie	1.88
Edward Grassie	.63
Martin Grassie	.63
Norman Grassie	36.26
Thomas L. Grassie, truck	1.00
John A. Greenwood	1.25
James L. Happenny	1.25
Charles Henry	.63
George Henry	1.25
Harrison Henry	1.25
Walter Hernan	.63
Ernest Hill, Jr	.63
Francis Hill	1.88
James Hiltz	1.88
Nellie Holland	1.25
Charles Hunter	.63
Chadwick Huntington	.63
Osborne Ingraham	1.25
Rufus James	2.51
Louis James	21.25
George S. Jason	1.25
William Jason	$1.25
John Kennedy	39.45
Charles Kennedy	1.25
Jerome Lincoln	1.25
Lawrence Lincoln	.63
Elwood Litchfield	.63
Earl McArthur	1.26
Walter McGrath	9.16
Robert McKenzie	.63
John D. McLellan	.63
E. Parker Malley	2.51
Frank Manuello	.63
Thomas Manuello	.63
Frank F. Martin, Jr	123.17
William Martin	.63
William F. Martin	25.63
Joseph Meehan	.63
Frank Mercurio	.63
Joseph Migliaccio	1.88
Frank Mitchell	2.50
George G. Monteiro	3.14
Bernard Mulcahy	.63
George L. Mulhern	5.00
Edward Mulvey	.63
Leo Neagle	.63
Joseph L. Oliver	.63
John J. Oliver	1.88
Fred Pape	7.50
Harry A. Pattison	6.26
John Pattison	69.41
Alfred Petersen	.63
Arne Petersen	.63
Charles C. Philbrook, truck and labor	9.88
Charles L. Pierce	1.25
Chester Pierce	1.25
Walter Poland	1.25
Aaron Pratt	.63
Charles Pratt	.63
Paul W. Pratt	6.88
Roscoe G. Pratt	35.67
John Prendergast	.63
Frank Quinn	.63
Clarence S. Reddy	10.01
Lyman Richards	.63
Stephen Rooney	.63
Clarence B. Salvador	.63
Bernard J. Salvador	10.03
Louis Salvador	1.25
Chester Sargent	1.88
Edgar Sargent	8.76
Herbert C. Sargent	7.51
Ellery C. S. Sidney	.63
Van Sidney	2.50
Alfred M. Silvia	27.55
Alfred or A. M. Silvia, Jr	15.00
Antoine Silvia	51.26

Antoine Silvia, Jr.	$1.25
John Silvia	.63
Joseph Silvia	6.26
Joseph A. Silvia	8.91
Manuel Silvia	.63
Manuel Sousa	.63
David Souther	12.50
Kenneth Souther	5.00
William Smith	.63
Charles Stoddard	8.13
Charles Stoddard, Jr.	.63
Sheldon Stoddard	5.00
Edward or Edwin Stone, Jr.	3.15
Henry H. Stone	$16.25
James Stover	1.25
John Sweeney	1.25
Carlos A. or Charles Tanger	5.64
Charles Tanger, Jr.	.63
Joseph A. Valine	1.89
Everett W. Wheelwright	13.13
George White	1.25
William H. White	1.25
Leonora Whittaker	1.25
Levi L. Worrick	.63
Ralph L. Wood	10.00

STRAITS POND AND JAMES BROOK

Tony Emanuello or Manuello	$51.26
C. H. Mapes, automobile and labor	45.63
James Devito	6.25
Walter Bates (James Brook)	37.50
J. J. Silvia	116.25
Edward A. Stone, Jr., automobile and labor	$58.50
Charles Stoddard (James Brook)	37.50
H. H. Stone, automobile and labor	27.50
C. Wilson	77.50
George Young	148.50

ERADICATION OF MOSQUITOES

William Almeida	$77.50
Edwin or E. P. Bates	352.52
Walter P. Bates, automobile and labor	530.63
Harry Donovan	207.50
Edward L. Higgins	$180.00
William Loughman	404.38
M. McAuliffe	38.75
Charles Stoddard	425.95
Irving F. Sylvester	95.00

GENERAL HIGHWAYS

A. J. Ainslie	$127.50
H. W. Ainslie, truck and labor	1,476.45
Carl Andrews	22.50
Joseph C. Anderson, painting	7.55
F. J. Antoine	101.25
A. J. Arnold, painting	107.50
John T. Barnes	434.00
William T. Barnes, truck and team	685.70
Ellery C. Bates, truck and labor	126.50
E. E. Bates Estate, truck	112.00
E. P. Bates	440.00
Ira Bates	55.00
Lot E. Bates, truck	231.00
W. W. Bates, truck	238.00
W. H. Bates	102.50
J. R. Bean	$86.25
Al. A. Beron	93.75
Louis Bottanican	5.00
H. W. Burbank	341.25
C. C. Burgess, work on fence	8.22
M. A. Burke, care lanterns	23.50
M. A. Burke, labor	677.50
George Burke	17.50
William F. Burke	40.00
James Clancy	30.00
J. F. Collins	30.00
F. B. Cook	47.50
George W. Crocker, painting	80.00
George L. Damon	142.50
S. L. Damon, team and labor	45.00
Frank De Mellow	12.50

Francis De Mellow	$45.00
George E. Denithorne	60.00
James Denithorne	35.00
R. E. Donovan	90.00
E. or D. F. Donovan	177.50
Pat Feola, loam, sods, truck and labor	137.25
A. J. Ferreira	10.00
Joseph Ferreira	10.00
E. S. Figureido	26.88
John Figureido	10.00
A. or Tony Figureido, Jr.	88.75
Joseph Figureido	79.38
E. S. Figureido	15.00
Lawrence Figureido	15.00
A. M. Gonsalves	301.00
John A. Gillis	20.00
J. E. Grassie, truck	42.00
M. or Manuel Grassie	28.75
Joseph F. Grassie	31.25
Pat Grassie	17.50
T. L. Grassie	325.50
H. T. Henry	83.75
T. W. Hernan	38.75
Stewart Hiltz	50.00
Alexander Hiltz, truck	49.00
S. H. Hume	30.00
Rufus James, truck	108.50
John F. James, truck	42.00
S. Francis James	32.50
William James	47.50
Edward R. Jason, truck	581.00
C. R. Jason, truck	765.00
George Jason, truck	459.00
J. M. Jason	22.50
J. L. Jason	15.00
Otis F. Jason	15.00
Paul Jason	5.00
W. H. Jason	610.25
F. B. Jenkins	1,014.50
Mrs. Frank T. Kane, rent of shop	75.00
Burke Kane, care of lanterns	3.50
John E. Kinsley	27.50
Henry T. Keating	30.00
Samuel Kutzer	4.45
William Loughman	137.50
Wisner Litchfield	30.00
Levi T. Lincoln, dust	225.75
George B. Lovering	371.25
A. L. Litchfield	15.00
William H. McArthur, Jr.	218.75
W. F. McAuliffe	5.00
W. F. or J. McAuliffe	60.00
W. E. McGrath	183.75
H. L. McMahon, horses	30.50
E. P. Malley	$25.00
W. T. Martin	10.00
M. J. Meehan	2.50
Joe Migliaccio	61.88
F. Mitchell	10.00
George J. Mulhern	50.00
Herbert Nichols, truck	112.00
D. F. O'Brien	192.50
William J. O'Hearn	10.00
F. W. Pape, truck	154.00
H. A. Pattison, truck	122.50
John Pattison	15.00
Alfred D. Pease	67.50
Al. J. Petersen	15.00
William Powers	95.00
Patrick Powers	133.75
C. H. Pratt	40.00
R. G. Pratt, truck	175.00
Ira N. Pratt, team and labor	93.00
J. J. Pratt, truck	120.00
W. H. Pratt, truck	136.50
Edward T. Reilly	250.00
J. W. Rooney	45.00
T. Rosano, truck	42.00
George F. Sargent	92.50
V. Sestito, truck and labor	684.00
W. S. Sidney	2.50
Osgood Sidney	35.00
Antoine Silvia, Jr.	15.00
Alfred Silvia, Jr., care of lanterns	3.50
Frank Silvia	2.50
John J. Silvia	15.00
Joseph F. Silvia	183.13
Joseph F. Silvia, Jr.	15.00
M. P. Silvia, truck and labor	143.25
W. O. Souther, truck	28.00
David Souther, truck	297.50
C. R. Stoddard	145.00
Ira B. P. Stoughton, truck and labor	44.50
C. A. Tanger	2.50
Harold M. Tower	5.00
John Viscombe	5.00
George R. Wagner, team and labor	239.10
James Watt	15.00
F. W. Wheelwright, truck	122.50
J. W. Whitcomb, team and labor	24.75
A. P. White	74.25
Grover C. White	67.50
George W. White, truck	140.00
H. W. White	10.00
Herbert Williams	196.25

TARRING STREETS

A. J. Ainslie	$10.00
H. W. Ainslie, truck	168.00
Carl Andrews	15.00
F. J. Antoine	105.00
J. T. Barnes, truck	112.00
E. P. Bates	40.00
W. H. Bates	32.50
W. W. Bates, truck	70.00
J. R. Bean	12.50
Louis Bottanican	12.50
H. W. Burbank	50.00
M. A. Burke	36.00
S. L. Damon, horse	12.00
George L. Damon	75.00
Francis De Mellow	10.00
Frank De Mellow, truck	28.00
George E. Denithorne	15.00
D. F. Donovan	65.00
Lawrence Figureido	15.00
Pat Feola	95.00
C. E. Frates, truck	14.00
Tony Ferreira, mason	8.00
A. M. Gonsalves, truck	35.00
T. L. Grassie, truck	14.00
Alexander Hiltz, truck	7.00
Rufus James, truck	14.00
S. F. James	2.50
Edward R. Jason, truck	98.00
C. R. Jason, truck	108.00
George Jason, truck	63.00
J. L. Jason	30.00
Burke Kane	17.50
L. T. Lincoln, stone dust	$22.00
William Loughman	22.50
George B. Lovering	65.00
W. H. McArthur, Jr.	30.00
M. F. McAuliffe	15.00
W. E. McGrath	25.00
H. Nichols, truck	42.00
D. F. O'Brien	7.50
Fred Pape, truck	70.00
John Pattison	15.00
Patrick Powers	60.00
William Powers	15.00
Ira N. Pratt, team, sand, labor	51.00
J. J. Pratt, truck	105.00
R. G. Pratt, truck	14.00
Edward T. Reilly	52.50
Tony Rosano, truck	28.00
V. Sestito, truck	42.00
Osgood Sidney	5.00
Joseph or J. F. Silvia	55.00
M. P. Silvia, truck	154.00
Tom Silvia, Jr.	15.00
D. Souther, truck	14.00
George R. Wagner, truck or team	11.20
James Watt	15.00
F. W. Wheelwright, truck	28.00
J. W. Whitcomb, sand, team	46.00
A. P. White, truck, labor	47.00
George W. White, truck	42.00

LAMBERT'S LANE

H. W. Ainslie, truck	$14.00
Carl Andrews	5.00
F. J. Antoine	5.00
J. T. Barnes, truck	14.00
W. T. Barnes, truck	63.00
E. P. Bates	5.00
W. H. Bates	45.00
J. R. Bean	5.00
H. W. Burbank	5.00
M. A. Burke	10.00
F. B. Cook	5.00
D. F. Donovan	30.00
Joseph F. Grassie	5.00
T. L. Grassie, truck	14.00
H. T. Henry	5.00
Alexander Hiltz, truck	35.00
Rufus James, truck	14.00
C. R. Jason, truck	9.00
Edward R. Jason, truck	$42.00
George Jason, truck	9.00
William Loughman	5.00
George B. Lovering	5.00
William H. McArthur, Jr.	5.00
W. E. McGrath	5.00
D. F. O'Brien	45.00
Ira N. Pratt	5.00
Edward T. Reilly	30.00
T. Rosano, truck	42.00
Osgood Sidney	10.00
J. F. Silvia	35.00
C. R. Stoddard	5.00
Ira B. Stoughton, truck	70.00
George R. Wagner, team	50.40
F. W. Wheelwright, truck	7.00
A. P. White	15.00

SIDEWALK — SOUTH MAIN STREET

M. A. Burke, care lanterns, labor	$44.50
H. W. Burbank	5.00
Edward T. Reilly	35.00
Burke Kane, care lanterns, labor	$8.50
C. R. Jason, truck	14.00

POND STREET

A. J. Ainslie	$82.50
H. W. Ainslie, truck	399.00
F. J. Antoine	60.00
W. T. Barnes, truck and team	238.00
J. T. Barnes, truck	56.00
Estate E. E. Bates, truck	175.00
E. P. Bates	68.75
Lot E. Bates, truck	77.00
J. R. Bean	20.00
Henry A. Brassill	30.00
W. J. Brennock, washing hose	5.00
H. W. Burbank	92.50
M. A. Burke, care lanterns, labor	209.50
George L. Damon	70.00
D. F. Donovan	35.00
Pat Feola, truck, labor	185.25
Tony Ferreira, mason	4.00
A. M. Gonsalves, truck	63.00
Ambrose Greenwood	82.50
C. R. Jason, truck	219.75
Edward R. Jason, truck	203.00
George Jason, truck	357.75
J. L. Jason	70.00
J. M. Jason	162.50
William H. Jason	24.00
F. B. Jenkins	$164.00
W. W. Jones	30.00
H. F. Keating	67.50
Burke Kane	7.50
William Loughman	80.00
George B. Lovering	146.25
M. J. or F. McAuliffe	151.25
W. E. McGrath	20.00
Frank Mitchell, mason	162.00
D. F. O'Brien	120.00
H. Nichols, truck	42.00
C. C. Philbrook, helper mason	72.00
Patrick Powers	193.75
William Powers	70.00
Edward T. Reilly	72.50
Tony Rosano, truck	70.00
George F. Sargent	10.00
V. Sestito	161.00
J. F. Silvia	182.50
M. P. Silvia, truck, labor	100.25
Tony Silvia, Jr.	90.00
C. R. Stoddard	132.50
James Watt	12.50
H. W. White	40.00
A. P. White	60.00
F. W. Wheelwright, truck	70.00

REMOVING SNOW AND SANDING STREETS

Austin L. Ahearn	$5.00
Edwin S. Ahearn	2.50
Henry Ahearn	2.50
Henry Ahearn, Jr.	5.00
A. J. Ainslie	58.76
H. W. Ainslie, truck, labor	230.63
W. J. Almeida	5.00
F. J. Antoine	22.50
J. P. Antoine, truck	7.00
J. C. Anderson	10.01
J. T. Barnes, truck and plowing	161.75
W. T. Barnes, truck and plowing	236.00
llery C. Bates	20.63
Est. or E. E. Bates, sand, truck	$59.00
E. P. Bates	155.63
Ira Bates	10.00
Lot E. Bates, truck, plowing, labor, etc.	234.25
W. P. Bates	44.45
W. W. Bates, truck, labor	165.00
J. R. Bean	15.00
Al. A. Beron	60.01
W. J. Brennock	7.50
Harlan P. Briggs	2.50
C. C. Burgess	6.25
A. C. Burgess	11.25
M. A. Burke	162.50

George Burke	$2.50
Thomas Burke	12.50
W. F. Burke	30.00
William F. Burke	27.50
Foster Cadose	25.00
J. J. or James Clancy	50.00
Edward C. Clark	38.75
Patrick Coakley	3.13
J. Cogill (boy)	2.00
William Cogill	2.50
William W. Cogill, Jr.	3.75
F. B. Cook	35.00
F. J. Collins	10.00
Edward M. Cronican	7.50
Joseph Daley	5.00
G. L. Damon	56.25
S. L. Damon	5.00
J. Davis	2.50
Francis De Mellow	20.00
Frank De Mellow	12.50
Albert De Mellow	7.50
Alfred De Mellow	7.50
George E. Denithorne	31.88
James Denithorne	65.00
Dennis J. Desmond	5.00
Patsy Devito	7.50
Ralph Devito	2.50
Clifford K. Dickson	17.50
Robert E. Donovan	26.25
H. M. or M. H. Donovan	12.50
Charles Eastman	7.50
H. Eastman (boy)	2.00
Joseph S. Enos	10.00
Thomas Emanuello	2.50
A. J. Ferreira	7.50
A. Ferreira (boy)	2.00
P. Feola	5.00
R. Feola (boy)	2.00
Joe Figureido	27.51
Joe Figureido, Jr.	7.50
John Figureido	15.00
M. S. Figureido	7.50
Manuel Figureido	5.00
Tony Figureido, Jr.	10.00
E. J. Fitzpatrick	3.13
Edward M. Fleming	5.00
Charles E. Frates, truck	21.00
Charles Frates, Jr.	5.00
John A. Gillis	5.00
A. F. Gonsalves	10.00
A. M. Gonsalves, truck	77.00
Clarence Grassie	9.38
A. E. Grassie, Jr.	2.50
Edward T. Grassie	2.50
J. E. Grassie, truck	77.00
Joseph Grassie	2.50
Manuel Grassie	15.00
M. G. Grassie	$12.50
Pat Grassie	13.75
Thomas L. Grassie, truck	84.00
Ambrose Greenwood	15.00
George Groat, Jr., carpenter	10.00
James L. Happenny, truck, plowing	51.50
C. E. Henry	35.00
George A. Henry, Jr.	5.00
H. T. Henry	45.00
F. Hill (boy)	2.00
Joseph Hurley	2.50
S. H. Hume	17.50
Louis James	5.00
John F. James, truck	91.00
Rufus James, truck, labor	159.00
William James	56.25
Charles L. Jason	7.50
C. E. Jason	17.50
C. R. Jason, truck	283.50
Edward R. Jason	147.00
F. E. Jason	12.50
George Jason, cash for tractor numbers and freight on snow fence	9.65
J. M. Jason	36.88
Paul Jason	23.75
Ralph Jason	7.50
W. H. Jason	142.50
F. B. Jenkins	157.50
H. F. or H. T. Keating	71.25
Burke Kane	7.50
Chauncey Kilburn	7.50
J. E. Kinsley	20.00
Charles Kennedy	7.50
Samuel Kutzer, for lunches	5.85
Leonard Lawrence	18.75
Jerome Lincoln	8.13
E. F. Lincoln, truck	42.00
H. W. Lincoln, care catch-basins	5.00
Albert L. Litchfield, carpentering, labor	13.00
Wisner or W. L. Litchfield	25.00
Litchfield's Express, on snow fence	2.50
Joe Logellie	7.50
Willie Longelle	2.50
James Loughman	2.50
William Loughman	29.38
George B. Lovering	47.51
Earl McArthur	10.00
William or Wm. H. McArthur, Jr.	38.75
William H. McArthur	5.00
W. E. McGrath	68.13

H. L. McMahon, horses and men	$177.40
D. McSweeney	12.50
Manuel Marks	2.50
Tony Manuello	2.50
W. T. Martin	7.50
William J. Martin	5.00
William F. Martin	2.50
E. B. Matthewson	5.00
Edward J. Mealy	3.13
George W. Mealy, truck	276.00
Joseph Meehan	12.50
W. J. Meehan	7.50
Houi Mecurio	5.00
Tony Mecurio	2.50
Pat Mecurio	2.50
Joseph Millietch	5.00
Joe Milleacio	2.50
Bernard Mulcahy	5.00
George J. Mulhern	85.00
J. L. Munnies	20.63
Robert Munnies	7.50
William Murphy	12.50
Harold Nason	10.00
Spellman Nason	2.50
Herbert Nichols, truck, horses, plowing,etc.	121.01
D. F. O'Brien	60.00
Neil O'Brien	2.50
Henry Ahearn or O'Hearn	5.00
Hugo Ormo, truck	7.00
F. W. Pape, truck	7.00
John Pattison	20.00
H. A. Pattison, truck	35.00
Alfred D. Pease	5.00
Murray Perry	7.50
Alfred or A. J. Petersen	19.38
Ralph D. Petersen	2.50
William J.or William Powers	91.88
Pat Powers	14.38
C. H. Pratt	7.50
Ira N. Pratt, sand, horses, labor, plowing	163.70
John J. or J. J. Pratt, truck, plowing	179.00
Roscoe G. Pratt	6.25
Warren Pratt	2.50
Edward F. Reilly	64.38
Harry Reed	5.00
P. E. Rooney	5.00
J. William or J. W. Rooney	15.00
P. J. Rooney	5.00
Peter E. Rooney	5.00
A. Rosano, Jr., truck, labor	$16.50
Tony Rosano	5.00
Joseph Rosano	2.50
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc., truck	14.00
George F. Sargent	27.50
V. Sestito, truck, labor	232.88
Van or V. R. Sidney	5.00
Osgood Sidney	2.50
Alfred Silvia, Jr.	5.00
A. L. Silvia	2.50
Frank Silvia	7.50
John Silvia	5.00
John J. Silvia	35.00
Joseph M. Silvia	7.00
Joseph F. Silvia	61.25
Joe Silvia	7.50
M. P. Silvia	40.00
Tony Silvia	10.00
Tony Silvia, Jr.	5.00
Walter Silvia	2.50
Louis Simeone	17.50
James A. Simeone	7.50
C. Smith	2.50
George Smith	5.00
John F. Smith	15.00
David Souther, truck	35.00
C. R. Stoddard	81.25
E. Stoddard (boy)	4.00
S. Stoddard (boy)	2.00
Henry Stone	7.50
Edward A. Stone, Jr.	7.50
Ira B. Stoughton, truck, labor	147.50
S. H. Stoughton, horse, labor	55.00
S. H. Stoughton, cement, plowing	6.38
Charles E. or C. Stover, Jr.	33.13
John M. Sweeney	5.00
William T. Tilden, cleaning gutters	2.50
H. M. or Harold M. Tower	54.38
George P. Valine	12.50
J. A. Valine	2.50
F. E. Valine	15.00
Ralph Viola	31.88
F. W. Wheelwright, truck	14.00
J. W. Whitcomb	53.76
A. P. White	5.00
George W. White, truck	21.00
H. W. White	22.50
Herbert Williams	43.75

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Teachers' Salaries, including Supervisor or Club Director:

Doris Anderson	$1,540.00
Marie or Mrs. H. F. Barnes	35.00
Martha P. Bates	1,620.00
Minnie E. Bigelow	1,110.00
Florence Bond	10.00
Marion Brown	120.00
Winifred Brooks	1,400.00
Helen L. Brown	1,545.00
Marion Carpenter	377.00
Marion C. Chandler	1,910.00
O. K. Collins	2,024.00
Phyllis H. Collins	30.00
James W. Doyle	3,008.08
Louanna Davies	520.00
Evangeline DeLorme	370.00
Eleanor Duff	50.00
Hazel M. Farrar	1,440.00
Sara E. Fox	1,520.00
Ruth M. Glines	600.00
Grace Jason	1,200.00
Elinor W. Kennedy	620.00
Elizabeth Knowles	1,307.50
Florence Knutson	1,300.00
Florence E. Kraus	1,850.00
Kathleen McMahon	1,520.00
Max H. Meyer	2,600.00
Esther Muirhead	10.00
Thelma Nichols	1,440.00
Hylma Poole	720.00
Frances N. Pratt	1,000.50
William Ripley, Jr.	2,150.00
Florence Reed	640.00
Ruperta Skelton	1,157.50
Frederick A. Taylor	1,000.00
Mary Terry	1,540.00
Helen C. Welch	1,650.00
Elinor I. Whitney	900.00
Elaine G. Wing	1,520.00
Dr. Anna C. Wellington	25.00

Health (schools):

Dr. O. H. Howe	$457.59
Dr. Frederick Hinchliffe	30.00
Ruth M. Hynes, nurse (transferred to District Nurse, Board of Health	225.00
Mrs. Helen E. Scripture, (transferred to District Nurse, Board of Health	25.00

Janitors' salaries (schools):

Louis Mulvey	$1,819.00
Thomas A. Stevens	1,760.00
Alice Fuller	15.00
Fred Fuller	335.00

Special janitors:

Manuel S. Leonard (sickness of L. Mulvey, etc.)	$190.50
George Mulhern (sickness of L. Mulvey, etc.)	55.00
David O. Collins	4.20
Burditt W. Collins	4.20

Clerical services (schools):

Phyllis H. Collins	$22.00
Burditt W. Collins	30.00
James W. Doyle	16.00

Transportation (schools):

Frank W. Wheelwright	$4,393.00
Mrs. Elmer Bates	1,548.60
Mrs. Myra Bates	61.83
William P. Malley	7.35
Cohasset Hardware Co.	2.00
Edward R. Jason	1.35
Cohasset Quality Shop	147.50
Tower & Co., Inc.	22.00

Fuel (schools):

Lincoln Bros. Coal Co. 69,290 lbs.	$563.52
City Fuel Co. 320,270 lbs.	1,017.94
Lot E. Bates, carting	45.50
Estate Elmer E. Bates, wood, 5 ft.	11.00

Schools, Maintenance of Buildings and Grounds:

Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.	$3.21
Andrews Paper Co.	30.00
Antoine's Express	.40
E. E. Babb & Co.	32.95
Edwin D. Bates	3.00
Bosworth & Beal	54.34
E. H. Brown	2.55
Lot E. Bates	24.00
Charles H. Barse	26.50
Cohasset Hardware Co.	182.89
John Cottle	11.35

David O. Collins	$2.50
C. W. Carlander	16.00
D. S. Campbell	35.00
H. I. Dallman Co.	8.03
Electric Light & Power Co., supplies	16.80
Osgood School, lighting	554.20
Osgood School Annex, lighting	29.65
Osgood School, power	174.40
Osgood School, power additional	11.35
Ripley Road School, lighting	207.45
Beechwood School, lighting	12.95
Osgood School, heating	213.04
Ripley Road School, heating	204.52
Electrolux, Inc.	87.40
Electric Time Co.	198.00
H. H. Ellsworth (1926)	6.38
Charles E. Frates (chimney)	660.88
Fort Hill Paper Co.	56.25
George W. Flint	308.99
Charles T. Fish	17.50
Wilbur D. Gilpatric	32.47
Elias Howe Co.	3.22
Hart & Hutchinson Co.	1.78
Alexander S. Hiltz	3.00
Heywood-Wakefield Co.	168.35
J. B. Hunter Co.	85.95
George W. Kimball & Son	14.60
Levi T. Lincoln	167.38
Manuel S. Leonard	775.55
W. P. Malley	21.00
George T. McLauthlin Co.	1.24
John N. MacNeill	13.27
D. F. Monroe Co.	3.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Department of Public Safety	20.00
Merrill's Auto Express	.90
Massachusetts Reformatory	64.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	11.71
Norfolk Motor Co., Inc.	43.10
Herbert Nichols, care of lawn	50.00
Norman W. Pemberton	218.30
Reddy's Battery Shop	12.18
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.	3.38
Rich's South Shore Express	1.20
Reformatory for Women	14.90
Roche & Gonsalves	572.50
Royal Typewriter Co.	$3.10
Ernest H. Sparrell	406.20
Smith & Corona Typewriter Co.	50.00
A. R. Sherman	19.00
State Chemical Co.	118.50
Sentry Sales Co.	10.00
Edgar Sargent	3.00
Alfred Silvia	1.00
State Prison	16.92
Frank Sargent	88.90
S. H. Stoughton	202.25
M. J. Sullivan	11.60
C. H. Trott Co.	35.35
Philip L. Towle	242.32
H. G. Vogel Co.	42.20
C. M. Warner	23.50
George F. Welch Co.	65.02
George Young	5.20

Schools, Textbooks and Supplies:

American Book Co.	$146.33
American Railway Express Co.	6.19
American Type Founders Co.	29.30
American Clock Co.	84.93
Athletic Trainers' Supply Co.	3.12
Antoine's Express	.75
Areo Publishing Co.	9.97
Allyn & Bacon	8.61
Boston Music Co.	177.60
James W. Brine Co.	132.41
Boston Cash Market	1.00
Bruce Publishing Co.	27.51
F. W. Browne, Pharmacist	27.95
E. E. Babb & Co.	454.79
F. J. Barnard & Co.	148.68
Beale's Cohasset & Scituate Express	1.85
Carter, Rice & Co.	25.27
College Entrance Book Co.	5.39
Cambridge Botanical Supply Co.	124.61
Daniel A. Campbell	30.44
Cohasset Hardware Co.	71.04
Doubleday, Doran & Co.	18.82
Dowling School Supplies Co.	15.33
E. I. duPont de Nemours Co.	9.00
Eugene Dietzzen Co.	2.93
E. P. Dutton & Co.	4.16
Sarah Fox	6.00

Ginn & Co.	$494.36
Wilbur D. Gilpatric	8.27
The Gregg Publishing Co.	69.37
J. L. Hammett Co.	373.78
J. B. Hunter Co.	12.06
W. T. Hight Co.	4.35
Houghton-Mifflin Co.	48.21
D. C. Heath & Co.	58.72
Elias Howe Co.	6.87
Harter School Supply Co.	5.55
Iroquois Publishing Co.	14.59
Grace E. Jason	3.40
Journal Print	33.67
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.	96.63
S. S. Kresge Co.	19.00
George E. Kimball & Son	40.30
J. B. Lippincott & Co.	9.48
Little, Brown & Co.	80.34
Litchfield's Express	16.30
Manuel S. Leonard	453.50
Milton Bradley Co.	356.30
John N. MacNeill	91.72
Kathleen McMahon	6.00
M. J. Merriam	34.51
Macmillan Company	89.33
Merrill's Auto Express	.50
Morgan Vise Co.	10.00
D. F. Munroe Co.	10.00
A. L. Morton	.75
Office Appliance Co.	5.25
Horace Partridge Co.	239.40
Princeton Universal Press.	1.75
The Palmer Co.	27.40
The Praug Co.	6.30
Phillips Ribbon & Carbon Co.	7.07
Ruiter Motor Sales, Inc.	10.64
Remington-Rand Bus Service	2.50
Ryan & Buker, Inc.	8.18
Railway Express Agency	3.99
William Ripley, Jr.	15.45
Reddy's Battery Shop	2.25
Scott, Foresman & Co.	40.72
A. T. Stearns Lumber Co.	405.34
Spaulding-Moss Co.	1.05
Benjamin H. Sanborn	26.08
Nicholas Simeone	2.40
School Board Journal	14.00
E. E. H. Souther	6.95
Silver-Burdett & Co	24.92
Surgeons & Physicians Supply Co.	3.20
Charles Scribner's Sons	11.22
Frederick A. Taylor	4.68
Thurston Manuel Training Supply Co.	3.73
John C. Winston Co.	$32.04
Elinor Whitney	3.00
Ward's	3.61
World Book Co.	45.68
Dr. F. Denton White	7.76
George F. Welch Co.	13.50

Schools, sundries:

Harold F. Barnes, insurance	$719.02
Employers Liability Insurance, W. H. Pratt	42.03
Boundbrook Press, printing	46.00
William P. Malley	2.00
James W. Doyle, graduation	25.00
Lot E. Bates, carting	106.63
A. L. Morton, graduation	11.25
John Daun, flowers	10.00
J. M. Millar	32.50

Schools, Tuition — Vocational Education:

Town of Weymouth	$655.34
City of Quincy	27.20
City of Boston	87.10

Schools, lunch:

P. J. Armes	$86.00
Atlantic & Pacific Tea Co.	807.17
Berwick Cake Co.	110.62
C. F. Hathaway & Sons	159.97
Hathaway Baking Co.	22.06
Loose-Wiles Biscuit Co.	289.00
Minot Market	427.77
M. H. Meyer	12.80
National Biscuit Co.	285.40
National Stores, Inc.	36.16
Plymouth Rock Ice Cream Co.	303.20
Nicholas Simeone	573.95
T. A. Stevens	15.00
F. W. Wheelwright	753.75
Lillian Enos, assistant	760.00
Mary Enos, assistant	692.50
Schools, Teachers' Retirement Board	$1,828.00

Schools, Fire Loss:

American Book Co.	$8.47
Edward E. Babb & Co.	34.33
Beale's Cohasset & Scituate Express	2.50

Lot E. Bates	$19.00
F. J. Barnard & Co.	104.55
H. F. Barnes, bond	44.40
Cohasset Hardware Co.	6.95
Cambridge Botanical Supply Co.	54.65
Cohasset Quality Shop	15.71
Electric Light & Power Co.	11.25
Cohasset Fire Department	2.20
George W. Flint	1,788.38
Charles E. Frates	313.75
Ginn & Co.	105.98
J. L. Hammett Co.	30.68
Hingham Laundry	$12.75
Houghton-Mifflin Co.	1.88
The Hampden Co.	1,348.00
L. E. Knott Apparatus Co.	100.50
Levi T. Lincoln	830.11
W. H. McGaw	25.00
McGraw-Hill Book Co.	7.44
Horace Partridge Co.	93.50
Norman W. Pemberton	19.60
Peter Rooney	8.00
Reddy's Battery Shop	39.00
P. L. Towle	2,380.30
H. G. Vogel Co.	667.86

WHEELWRIGHT PARK

William Barnes, team	$8.00
Lawrence Cook	40.00
Thomas Emanuello	40.00
Harrison Henry	72.50
John E. Grassie, auto or truck and labor	69.00
Stephen J. Grassie	2.50
George Lovering	$90.00
Joseph Lugella	7.50
Frank Mitchell	37.50
Peter N. D. Petersen	105.00
Edward T. Reilly	90.00
Louis Salvador	27.50

LABOR ON PARKING PLACE

M. A. Burke	$5.00
W. T. Barnes, truck	28.00
George L. Damos	10.00
James Denithorne	$10.00
Edward R. Jason, truck	28.00
Edward T. Reilly	5.00

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN

To the Citizens of Cohasset:

Your Board of Selectmen submit the following:

Police

Chief Pelletier has coöperated in every way with the Selectmen in enforcing the traffic laws and all other law enforcements. Reckless driving has practically been stopped, and in order to bring about this result, in several instances, upon the request of the Chief, licenses were revoked by the Registrar of Motor Vehicles. An examination of the report of the Chief of Police, in your Town Report, will show what that department has accomplished. The parking nuisance along Jerusalem Road has been completely eliminated. The "No Parking" signs along the restricted section will be repainted and new signs will be erected where signs were omitted last year.

Fire Department

The Town voted at the last Annual Town Meeting to abolish its Board of Fire Engineers and have the Board of Selectmen appoint a Chief of the Fire Department, he to be held responsible for the department. Under this new system the efficiency of the department has been put to a high standard and proper discipline and coöperation has prevailed. Chief Martin has proved himself to be a very efficient chief, and his well-organized department is a great credit to him.

Woodside Cemetery

Your Selectmen have just completed a survey of all the lots, paths and roadways in the Woodside Cemetery and have a proper plan of all lots, etc., on file at the Town Hall, with each owner's name marked on the lots. Your Selectmen find that in many cases where lots have been purchased, no deeds have been

given. A careful check-up is to be made of all lots and proper deeds furnished. At the last Annual Town Meeting, the Selectmen were instructed to construct a stone wall along the street line of the cemetery. Your Selectmen believed that the erection of the wall should not be done until the land was surveyed and further consideration given to the matter. The money to be expended for the wall construction was to be taken from the Cemetery Fund. The work can be done at any time as the money does not revert to the Town treasury. Roads are much needed and your Selectmen recommend that $500, besides the balance now on hand, be used to move hedges and construct roadways. (See article in warrant for Annual Meeting.)

Town Hall

Acting under a vote of the Town instructing the Selectmen to regulate the rental to be charged for the use of the hall, your Selectmen made a minimum charge of two dollars plus electric current used, to all persons, organizations, etc., when hall was used for purposes other than profit-taking, where personal gain was involved. Other rental for hall uses is determined according to purpose. This arrangement apparently has been satisfactory.

After careful investigation your Selectmen found that the Town would be liable for any accident occurring in or about the hall at any gathering other than a municipal gathering. Supreme Court decisions have decided on several occasions that towns can be held liable where municipal buildings are used and a fee for admittance is charged. For $100 a year your Selectmen insured the Town against a liability of $100,000. Cohasset was the first town to discover this liability. The small charge for the use of the hall covers the insurance premium and other costs.

Gulf River Dam

Citizens of Scituate have notified the Board of Selectmen of Cohasset that they desire the flood gates at Gulf Mill Bridge removed in order to allow the water to flow in and out of the river unobstructed and to allow boats to pass unobstructed. Scituate citizens claim that stagnant water is kept over the

marshes of Scituate by these gates, creating mosquito-breeding areas. Your Selectmen believe that the gates are maintained contrary to tidewater regulations and should be removed without delay. To defray the expense of the work an article asking for $500 was put in the warrant for the Annual Town Meeting.

Town Dump

Considerable discussion has prevailed regarding the creating of a town dump. Last year Board of Health obtained a site on Doane Street in the wooded section of Cohasset, hiring same from the owners, Roscoe and Aaron Pratt, for $100 per year. The Board of Health had inserted an article in the Town Warrant of last March to purchase a small tract of land around the dump for $100. At the Annual Town Meeting this amount was raised to $500, the purchase price to be left to the discretion of the Selectmen. Your Selectmen learned that the land in question was offered to the Board of Health previous to Town Meeting for $100. After the $500 had been raised, the land price advanced to $400, the assessed value being about $25 for the land in question. Your Selectmen offered $200. The Chief of the Fire Department asked the Board of Selectmen on many occasions to eliminate this dump as it was a great fire hazard, the Fire Department having been called on more than a dozen occasions to prevent the fire from endangering the surrounding country. Thousands of acres of wooded country adjoin this dump, and should a forest fire start from this dump the Town would be liable for every cord of wood destroyed and every acre burned over.

A dump site for inflammable rubbish was located near the river and the Selectmen felt that the Pratt dump could be used for old automobile bodies and non-inflammable materials. Both sites, however, were condemned by the State Conservation Board.

Your Selectmen felt that it would be a move in the right direction to begin to grade over the North Main Street gravel pit, much filling being needed. The Board of Health was instructed to utilize the filling by dumping same in the deep excavations where gravel had been removed, but to keep all

filling dumped below grade and well covered. The filling wasted in an ordinary dump and the money used to care for a dump could have been used to great advantage in healing over the ugly excavation in the gravel pit lot.

Objection was made and imaginary evils from dumping were talked, and your Selectmen, rather than have any discussion regarding the matter, abandoned the idea of ultilizing the filling and the grading of the gravel pit.

Some citizens think that the Pratt dump on Doane Street should be purchased, therefore your Selectmen have taken a signed option and have inserted an article in the warrant asking for $350 for the purchase of same. We are now being offered much more land than was previously considered for $400.

If loss by fire comes from this dump, an excessive cost for fire prevention is forced upon you. Your Board of Selectmen feel that you have had the situation thoroughly explained and are personally responsible for expenditures of money or loss by fire.

Drainage on South Main Street

At the Special Town Meeting the Town voted to purchase or take by eminent domain, an easement across the land of Mr. Eustis. Mr. Eustis refusing to allow the Town to create the drain, the Selectmen were obliged to take the easement by eminent domain. The taking has been made and drain laid and the street properly drained.

New Entrance to Cohasset and State Road

Your Selectmen have for the past year been working to bring about a new and beautiful entrance to Cohasset to eliminate the old winding route from Old Colony Hill to the golf links.

The Selectmen's proposed route would eliminate the grade crossings at Nantasket Junction and Whitney's Crossing. This proposed new route would leave Rockland Street just east of the Weir River Bridge on Rockland Street near the railroad bridge, crossing land of Mr. Patterson, thence across Hull Street between houses of Mr. Fisher and Mr. Hunter along golf

course parallel with the railroad, meeting present State Road at Whitney's Crossing.

A new State Road should be constructed, leaving North Main Street between Black Rock railroad station and John Barnes' homestead, cross track by overhead bridge, cross Sohier Street in vicinity of the Samuel Nichols' property, cross Pleasant Street near the Andrew Prouty homestead, cross Pond Street between the Town Farm and the Charles Howe development, crossing Beechwood Street between the Anderson and Gates' houses, and connect with the new Scituate State Road layout just above Mrs. Morris' ice pond on Blossom Street.

The Scituate road opens up all the elevated undeveloped land of Scituate to Greenbush. The new proposed Cohasset layout would open all of the territory between Reservoir Hill and the village and eventually make available all land to King Street for house lots.

What Cohasset needs to reduce her taxable burden is more taxable property, and a new road as suggested would yield more than a million in valuation in a short period, making employment and a large additional income for our stores which are now struggling for business.

Your Selectmen wish to remind you of fast increasing maintenance appropriations which must be raised by additional tax levies on your property. If your taxable burden is to be lessened, there is but one way to do it and that is by creating more taxable property. Our waterfront is practically all taken. We must now turn to our beautiful territory west of the railroad track and we ask you to coöperate in every way with your Board of Selectmen in their efforts to accomplish this great work for the development of Cohasset.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM O. SOUTHER, JR.
HERBERT L. BROWN,
WILLIAM H. McGAW,
Selectmen of Cohasset.

REPORT OF THE ASSESSORS

The Assessors of the Town of Cohasset hereby submit their report for 1929.

Total valuation, 1929		$10,565,005.00
Total valuation, 1928		10,411,984.00
Increase in valuation 1929		$153,021.00
Town grant, annual Town Meeting		$279,889.80
State tax		11,135.00
Highway tax		2,116.36
Auditing		43.46
Metropolitan Park sinking fund		11.33
Interest		56.09
Metropolitan maintenance		219.39
County tax		10,997.89
Overlay current year		4,556.87
		$309,026.19
Estimated receipts, including $12,000 motor excise tax	$57,700.00	
Net amount raised by taxation on polls and property	251,326.19	$309,026.19
Number of polls, 996 at $2		1,992.00
Total valuation $10,565,005 at $23.60		249,334.11
Fractions making tax		.08
Total amount of taxes listed in the Collector's commitment list on real, personal and polls		$251,326.19
December assessment		318.60
Number of persons, partnerships and corporations assessed on property		1,177
Number of horses assessed		97

Number of cows assessed	250
Number of neat cattle assessed	64
Number of swine assessed	10
Number of dwellings assessed	958
Number of acres of land assessed	5,113+acres
Number of fowl assessed	1,285

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT L. BROWN,
WILLIAM H. McGAW,
WILLIAM O. SOUTHER, JR.
Assessors.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF PUBLIC WELFARE

The report of this Board stands about the same as in years past. Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Louie are still in charge at the Cohasset Home and have discharged their duties in the usual most satisfactory manner. A new heater has been installed this year. The calls for help outside the Cohasset Home have been investigated and the necessary assistance given.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM H. McGAW,
Chairman.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Receipts

Balance, January 1, 1929	$36,377.43
From Tax Collector	266,022.60
Revenue Loans	115,000.00
Commonwealth of Massachusetts	41,029.23
Interest on deposits	769.13
Dividend on Funds:	
Billings Park	50.00
Town Common	57.50
Wheelwright Park	750.00
Wadleigh Park	250.00
Beechwood Cemetery Trust Fund	3.78
Legacy from Edith M. Bates	1,500.00
Department of Public Works	314.00
Norfolk County dog licenses	577.29
Eradication of mosquitoes	2,500.00
Court fines	334.20
Licenses and permits	206.00
Town Hall	780.23
Fire Department	10.65
Wire Inspector	97.50
Sealer of Weights and Measures	55.48
Forest fires	5.04
Highways	180.00
Town Infirmary	1,023.00
Tax title redemptions	270.15
Public Welfare	1,215.85
School lunch	4,735.82
Health reimbursement	129.20
Schools, miscellaneous	283.66
Schools, rent of hall	127.00
Parks	3.00
Woodside Cemetery	803.60

Miscellaneous	$1.35
Refunds	221.30
Histories and maps	19.75
Rent of buildings	479.00
Rent of gravel pit lot	80.00
Money on body of John W. Fanning	3.86
Advertising costs	37.00
Fire loss, insurance, school	11,337.50
Fire loss, insurance, blacksmith shop	50.00
Total	$487,691.10

Payments

Paid Selectmen's warrants, Nos. 1 to 73, inclusive.	442,072.59
Balance, December 31, 1929	$45,618.51

HARRY F. TILDEN,
Town Treasurer.

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Taxes collected on:		
1925 taxes	$36.74	
1927 taxes	8,948.84	
1928 taxes	45,327.60	
1929 taxes	209,556.96	
		$263,870.14
Interest collected on:		
1927 taxes	$909.91	
1928 taxes	1,176.18	
1929 taxes	66.37	
		2,152.46
Amount paid Treasurer		$266,022.60
Abatements:		
1927 taxes	$525.07	
1928 taxes	360.30	
1929 taxes	1,484.69	
Total	$2,370.06	
Uncollected taxes December 31, 1929:		
1928 taxes	$12,370.49	
1929 taxes	54,725.62	

HARRY F. TILDEN,
Tax Collector.

REPORT OF SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

To the Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen: Your Sealer, in submitting his annual report, would respectfully state that the various weighing and measuring devices have been tested and sealed as required under existing statutes, and such as have proved incorrect have been condemned.

The standard of all these various appliances is raised each year, both as regards accuracy and convenience and we are glad to report that our local merchants take pride in keeping fully abreast of the times.

Respectfully,

CALEB NICHOLS,
Sealer.

REPORT OF THE TREE WARDEN

To the Citizens of Cohasset:

The usual care has been given the shade trees throughout the Town, along with any new suggestions received from the State Forestry Department; care of the old trees as well as planting and care of the young trees were given special attention.

During the past winter the trees on Beechwood Street to King Street were pruned as well as Hull Street and Jerusalem Road to Atlantic Avenue, also several street corners were relieved by cutting brush to permit a better view in order that accidents might be avoided.

The matter of fertilizing old trees has been taken up with the State Forestry Association and they recommend the same. I also think it would be a great benefit to them, as I don't know when they were fertilized last, if ever. Following is a list of shade trees which are either on the roadsides or are just inside overhanging the roads. This does not include such streets as Cedar Street, Forest Avenue, Nichols Avenue, King Street, Bow Street, Atlantic Avenue and sections of some of the streets which follow, that are well shaded with trees provided by nature, which add greatly to the beauty of our Town. Some trees have been planted on some of the streets named above.

South Main Street	349
North Main Street to Forest Avenue	276
Elm Street	84
Summer Street	84
Ripley Road	124
Sohier Street	278
Common, in and around	72
Highland Avenue	25
Beach Street	136
Margin Street	56
Joy Place	29

Jerusalem Road	460
Hull Street	57
Border Street	106
Parker Avenue	41
Black Horse Lane	66
Spring Street	43
Cushing Road	70
Oak Street	48
Ash Street	44
Short Street	25
Pleasant Street	66
Norfolk Road	68
Beechwood Street	284
Church Street	82
Doane Street to River	67
Pond Street	167
	3,207

There are a few short streets not included in the above list; however, all trees on streets and avenues are treated alike by spraying and pruning, that they may maintain their beauty. As the past season was a very dry one it caused the foliage to drop from the trees sooner than it did in previous seasons.

Therefore I recommend the sum of $2,500 be raised and appropriated at our Annual Meeting March next for the Tree Warden Department. I hereby heartily thank the citizens for their support and coöperation during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH E. GRASSIE,
Tree Warden.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF PARKS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen:

Having been appointed Superintendent of Parks by your board for the past year I herewith submit the following report on Wheelwright Park.

On the North Main Street end of the park there has been several acres parked out and mowed over, and the brush has been burned, affording the trees that have been left a good opportunity to grow and shape out as they should. We are continuing with this work at the present time. We also have pruned more of the trees that overhang the roadways throughout the park.

The young white pines that are in the park are infested to some extent with the white pine weevil. I have taken the matter up with the State Department and they seem to think it will pass over in a short time; however, they do not recommend planting white pine at the present time, but instead they recommend planting red pine, as it is not subject to the weevil, and I recommend that at least one thousand red pine be planted this coming spring.

From the number of telephone calls I have received regarding the park I am very much pleased to know that there are so many people interested in the work that is being carried on, and I trust this interest will continue.

In conclusion I want to thank the citizens for the helpful suggestions which were offered during the past season.

Respectfully submitted,

JOSEPH E. GRASSIE,
Superintendent of Parks.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF HEALTH

The following cases of infectious and contagious diseases were reported to this board during the past year: scarlet fever, 10; influenza, 17; chicken pox, 4; dog bite, 2; German measles, 1; tuberculosis (pulmonary), 3; whooping cough, 3; lobar pneumonia, 4; septic sore throat, 1.

All persons with a contagious disease and the contacts, were followed up closely by the district nurse and the school physician. We feel that a good share of credit can be given to these examinations and follow-up methods, for keeping the number of contagious cases from being more numerous.

During the past year good progress was made at the dental clinic in caring for the dental needs of the children in the Ripley Road School.

In the Osgood School emergency dental cases were taken care of by the clinic, and other children wishing dental treatment can obtain same by visiting the clinic at the Ripley Road School.

The following is a report on the mosquito control work carried on under the direction of this board during the past year:

Mosquito Control Work

An important start was made in 1929 on a campaign for eradication of mosquitoes in Cohasset. The Town raised and appropriated $2,500 for this purpose, and an equal amount was raised by private subscription and paid into the town treasury.

The physical work, which began early in August, was carried out under direction of the local Board of Health, with welcome assistance from representatives of the State Reclamation Board, and the coöperation of a committee consisting of Charles W. Gammons, Hollis T. Gleason and Joseph F. Kendall.

As mosquitoes breed only in stagnant water, whether fresh or salt, and as the salt marsh mosquito through its habit of flying many miles is a far greater pest than the fresh water variety

which can be expected to remain in the general locality where it hatches, our major efforts during the past summer and fall were applied to ditching and draining our salt marshes in order to eliminate the stagnant pools. It is expected that all permanent salt marsh ditching in Cohasset can be completed early in the spring of 1930. This salt marsh drainage is of a lasting nature and after the ditches are once opened they can be kept in excellent condition at small annual expense.

In the fresh water breeding places most of the work done in 1929 was only temporary. We feel, therefore, that the major control work in 1930 should be devoted to these localities, and that a sum equal to last year's appropriation of $2,500 should be raised and appropriated for this purpose at the annual Town Meeting.

The stagnant areas of fresh water present a somewhat different and possibly more complicated problem than the salt marsh sections. Where drainage or fill is impractical, oiling must be done during the summer months, which is likely to mean a somewhat higher annual expense than needed for the salt marshes. After the more permanent work has been completed, however, it should be possible to cover the entire Town at a moderate annual expense.

Although we hope and expect that the work already done will bring substantial relief, we cannot look for maximum results until all nearby towns undertake similar work and coördinate their activities in a common project under State supervision. The outlook for such coördination is encouraging. Householders can also greatly improve conditions around their dwellings by following the Instruction Card which your Board of Health expects to place in every home before next summer.

In the season of 1929, with an expenditure of approximately $2,500, about 30,600 linear feet of old grown-over ditches were opened and about 6,800 feet of new ditches were completed, or a total of more than seven miles of ditches in Cohasset. This work was divided in the following manner:

Locality	*Approximate Linear Feet* Old Ditches	New Ditches
Mohawk Section, Beach Street	1,100	1,400
Yacht Club and White Head	2,474	75
Treat's Pond and vicinity	2,164	436
James Brook (Elm Street side back of library)	2,192	524
James Brook (South Main Street side from back of library to railroad track)	4,870	2,158
James Brook (Smith Street to Sohier Street)	3,184	0
Summer Street to Tree Top Road	2,496	246
Brook from Border Street to Bailey's Creek	808	0
Tree Top Road to Gulf River	1,237	0
Black Horse Lane toward South Main Street	2,954	240
Tree Top Road to property of H. K. Bartow	1,043	259
Along Gulf River from property of H. K. Bartow to property of Mrs. Plant	4,132	867
Along Gulf River from property of Mrs. Plant to property of Mr. Pegram	1,940	610
Total linear feet	30,594	6,815

IRVING F. SYLVESTER, *Chairman*,
EDWARD L. HIGGINS, *Secretary*,
ABRAHAM S. ENOS,
Board of Health.

REPORT OF THE HARBOR MASTERS

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen: Your Harbor Masters submit the following report: In our reports for the past few years we have mentioned the necessity of extensive repairs to the runways and floats at the various town landings. Although this is still a serious problem, we feel that we can still repair them economically by the use of watertight barrels, and the renewal of the main timbers. We are hesitant of asking the Town to spend the amount necessary to replace these runways and floats this year in view of the other very necessary improvements to our harbor in order that we may properly provide for the mooring and harboring of the very large number of Cohasset-owned boats and visitors that are using our harbor.

It will be necessary to remove several large boulders at the entrance of the yacht-basin and northerly side of the channel this year. These boulders are serious menace to navigation. This condition is due to the dredging recently done.

Another serious condition that must be remedied at once is that the main part of the harbor has not been dredged for nearly twenty years with the result that it is not possible to furnish proper anchorage for boats drawing over four feet of water. As we have several boats owned in Cohasset drawing over four feet it is only proper that we provide for them. Therefore we recommend that the main part of the harbor be properly dredged this year, and that the Town raise a sufficient amount of money to do this work. In fact it was necessary to use a private wharf to moor a large visiting boat last season.

As our harbor is one that is being used more and more by visitors and boats seeking a place of shelter, we strongly urge the Town to increase the harbor appropriation this year to properly provide for all conditions, and that all Cohasset-owned boats as well as all visitors be assured of a safe and sure mooring.

It is the purpose and intention of your Harbor Masters to

carefully care for all boats using our harbor, and to expend the money allotted by the Town for this purpose in the most economical and practicable manner possible.

We wish to take this opportunity to express our thanks to all the yachtsmen and fishermen of Cohasset, and all others with whom we have come in contact for their coöperation and kindness in the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. GRASSIE, *Harbor Master.*
JOSEPH G. ENOS, *Assistant Harbor Master.*

REPORT OF COHASSET FIRE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen: Under the authority of General Laws, Chapter 48, Sections 42 and 43, I was appointed by you as Chief of the Cohasset Fire Department. After due consideration the following men were appointed as Deputies: Alfred M. Silvia, First Deputy Chief; Clarence S. Reddy, Second Deputy Chief; Roscoe G. Pratt, Third Deputy Chief; Charles W. Hunter, Fourth Deputy Chief.

During the past year the department responded to thirty-one alarms. Twenty by box and seven still alarms.

House	7
Chimney	2
Automobile	2
False	8
Out of town (Nantasket)	1
Hotel	1
Office building	1
Ice house	1
Schoolhouse	1
Blacksmith shop	1
Sawdust pile	1
Automobile truck	1
Woods and leaves	1
Garage	1
Tar wagons	2
	31

Number of house fires with damage to building or contents: 1927, 10; 1928, 7; 1929, 7. The assessed value of property involved was $109,400 and the estimated loss was $3,115.

	Assessed Value	*Estimated Loss*
1927	$223,000.00	$3,325.00
1928	321,050.00	55,750.00
1929	109,400.00	3,115.00

The assessed value is for buildings only and does not include contents that were involved.

Engine 1 responded to twenty-seven alarms; Engine 2 to five alarms; Engine 3, four alarms; Ladder 1 to twenty-five alarms; and the forest truck to eight alarms. This last named truck goes out on every alarm. The department laid 5,250 feet of 2½-inch hose, raised 544 feet of ladders and used 55 gallons of chemicals.

Equipment

Five hundred feet of 2½-inch hose was purchased to replace some hose that was damaged at fires, and also to keep at a minimum the required number of feet as recommended by the underwriters.

Fire Alarm

The Fire Alarm is in perfect working condition. Hull Street was wired from West Corner to Cedar Street and a box installed at the corner of Hull and Cedar Streets.

Apparatus

This past year Engine 1 was painted and is in perfect condition. Engine 2, Engine 3 and Ladder 1 are in first-class working condition. The forest truck, formerly the Ford combination at Beechwood Station, has proven its worth as an auxiliary to the Fire Department, going out on silent and bell alarms. It is the envy of many small towns and is being copied by Hingham, Marshfield and Norwell.

Inspection

The business section is inspected frequently, also other parts of the Town. Complaints are greatly diminishing, which is a pleasing fact to the department.

Many citizens have visited our stations during the past year, but a large majority have not, and it is the earnest wish of this department that they do come and see what we have in equipment to protect their property if they should be so unfortunate as to have a fire.

We wish to extend our thanks to the Honorable Board of Selectmen for their coöperation and deep interest in the department; to Chief Pelletier and his department for their cooperation and assistance; to all others that have volunteered their services or assisted the department in any way; and also to the officers and members of this department for the efficient and able manner in which they have performed their duty.

FRANK F. MARTIN, JR.,
Chief.

REPORT OF FOREST WARDEN

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen: My report as Forest Warden the past year is as follows: The burning along the Town highways is an experiment no longer, as it has lessened much of the fire hazard of our Town. The Department of Conservation held a convention of Forest Wardens at Middleboro, January 23, and in Boston, January 27, and it was strongly urged by the commissioner of that department to the wardens of the State, to follow the example of the Town of Cohasset and eliminate fire hazards along the highways of our state.

The past year was one of the driest on record and our forest and grass fires were doubled in number over the previous three years. A serious forest fire was set in the woods between Lilley Pond and Doane Street; as fast as it was put under control, other fires were set. It got so serious the State had to be called in with their equipment (without any cost to the Town) and helped put it out. This fire covered a period of nearly four weeks and the residents of Beechwood and King Streets were great sufferers from the smoke entering their houses.

I want to thank the citizens for their help and coöperation with this department. Please do not pull a box for a grass or wood fire, but call the Central Fire Station and be sure to give location.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANK F. MARTIN, JR.,
Forest Warden.

REPORT OF WIRE INSPECTOR AND SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE ALARM

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen and to the Chief of the Fire Department.

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report as Wire Inspector and Superintendent of Fire Alarm of the Town of Cohasset. During the past year there have been no radical changes in electrical wiring. All work under my supervision has been thoroughly inspected. I find that Mr. Kieth, manager of the Electric Light and Power Company, has replaced a lot of new poles in Cohasset this year and is always ready to give me his hearty coöperation in all branches of construction.

All of the fire-alarm boxes have been grounded this year. We have installed a new fire-alarm box at the corner of Cedar and Hull Streets, and find that our fire-alarm system is in first-class condition. In closing, I wish to express my appreciation to the Board of Selectmen, the Chief of the Fire Department, the Electric Light and Power Company, and all electrical contractors for their coöperation.

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT WILLIAMS,
Wire Inspector and Superintendent of Fire Alarm.

REPORT OF THE COHASSET POLICE DEPARTMENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

Gentlemen: I herewith submit my report for the Police Department of the Town of Cohasset, for the year ending December 31, 1929.

ORGANIZATION OF THE FORCE DECEMBER 31, 1929

Chief	1
Sergeant	1
Day Officer	1
Night Officers	3
Relief Officer	1
Special Officers	10

Official Roster of the Department

Chief of Police, Hector J. Pelletier
Sergeant, Frank Jason

Patrolmen

John Fleming
*Edward L. Maguire
James J. Sullivan
Benjamin F. Curley
John J. Rooney

Special Officers

John T. Keating
Henry B. Kennedy
Frederick W. Sullivan
Royal Bates
Edward B. Mathewson
Spencer H. Stoughton
John J. Oliver
Ralph S. Enos
John J. Ferreira
Frank E. Jason

* Deceased December 21, 1929.

Arrest Report

	Male	Female	Total
Allowing motor vehicle to stand unattended..	1		1
Assault and battery	3		3
Attaching number plates illegally	1		1
Attempted larceny	3		3
Breaking and entering in the daytime	4		4
Breaking and entering in the nighttime	3		3
Carrying a revolver without a permit	1		1
Default	4		4
Delinquent child	4		4
Disturbing the peace	3		3
Drunk	33	1	34
Failing to stop upon signal of traffic light	2		2
Failing to stop after causing injury to person.	2		2
Illegal transportation of liquor	1		1
Insane	2		2
Keeping and exposing liquor for sale	1		1
Larceny	7		7
Malicious injury to property		1	1
Manslaughter	1		1
No registration in possession	1		1
Operating motor vehicle after revocation of license	1		1
Operating a motor vehicle after right to operate had been suspended	1		1
Operating a motor vehicle at an unreasonable rate of speed	27		27
Operating a motor vehicle in a negligent manner so that the lives and safety of the public might be endangered	1		1
Operating uninsured motor vehicle	2		2
Operating unregistered motor vehicle	2		2
Operating a motor vehicle without a license..	2	2	4
Operating a motor vehicle without proper brakes	1		1
Operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of intoxicating liquor	14		14

Arrest Report (*Continued*)

	Male	*Female*	*Total*
Short lobsters in possession	2		2
Suspicious persons	10		10
Violation of probation	3		3
Violation of motor vehicle law, passing view obstructed	5		5
Total	148	4	152

Accidents investigated, 67.
Buildings found open and locked by police or owner, 29.
Cars stopped and checked for licenses and registrations, 973.
Cars stopped for automobile violations and warned, 197.
Complaints investigated, 1,607.
Cruelty to animals cases investigated, 3.
Dogs killed, 4.
Fatal accidents, 1.
Fire alarms answered, 28.
Gas leaks reported, 3.
Insane and sick persons taken to hospital, 14.
Inquest, 1.
Licenses suspended, 28.
Mileage of motorcycle, 9,027.
Mileage of police car, 17,668.
Motorists assisted, 96.
Restitution made, $9.
Special attention requested by owners of unoccupied houses, 5.
Stolen automobiles recovered, 2.
Stolen property recovered by department valued at $1,505.
Street lights reported out, 68.
Summer homes inspected weekly, 135 (winter months).
Summonses served for other police departments, 62.
Total fines, $2,729.

Crime

Traffic through the Town has markedly increased in the last year. Violation of the law has substantially increased in the last

year due to the increased traffic and the efficiency of our present system of night patrol. During the last year ten persons were arrested on Jerusalem Road and Forest Avenue, between the hours of 1 and 5 a.m., as suspicious persons. After an investigation these ten persons were either released or arraigned in court. I believe that the arrest of these ten persons by our night patrol prevented many breaks being made in this district. The epidemic of larceny of automobile accessories was prevented during this past year by the apprehension of the parties responsible for this violation of the law. These parties had been under surveillance by this department for some time and were finally apprehended and convicted.

Equipment

The new motorcycle and side car have proven of great value in patrolling the Town. By the use of this motorcycle the police car is always available at the station house for any emergency that may arise before 1 a.m. when the night patrol use the police car. This police car has proven itself of great value as a patrol car between the hours of 1 a.m. and 5 a.m.

Traffic

The traffic light at the corner of South Main and Summer Streets has been ordered removed by the State Department of Public Works on the theory that it is an obstruction in the road. This traffic signal has proven a valuable preventative for accidents. Fewer accidents have occurred in the Town during the past year due largely to the hearty coöperation of the motorists and citizens, and the hearty coöperation of the school teachers of the Town, who have instructed the children in safety.

Recommendation

I recommend the four-far-corner type of traffic light for the corner of South Main and Summer Streets as recommended by the State Department of Public Works.

I also recommend that ten more "No Parking" signs be purchased for Jerusalem Road as an added protection for tourists traveling along this highway.

I further recommend that South Main Street and North Main Street from the Scituate line to the Hingham line be made a through-way street which would require all motorists to stop before entering this through-way street. This would materially reduce the dangers of accidents.

The police car is used as an ambulance, patrol wagon and to patrol the Town at night. The car is now four years old and has been driven approximately ninety thousand miles and it is now beginning to get expensive to operate this car. I recommend that a later model than this car be purchased.

I also recommend that six signs warning motorists that they are approaching schools be purchased for the three schools.

In Memoriam

On December 21, 1929, Edward L. Maguire, one of the police officers, died. He had been an earnest and faithful police officer in our department for more than five years. His loss is a serious loss to the police department and to the entire Town of Cohasset. He was very faithful to his duties and many times responded to the call of his office when other men of less courage and faith would have, on account of their physical condition, failed to respond to their duties as police officers.

Conclusion

I want to extend my thanks to the members of the Board of Selectmen, the Town Accountant, the Chief of the Fire Department and all of the people of the Town of Cohasset for their hearty coöperation in endeavoring to render to the Town of Cohasset the best police protection that can be given to it, with the number of officers and equipment that is available.

Respectfully submitted,

HECTOR J. PELLETIER,
Chief of Police.

REPORT OF THE MOTH SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable Board of Selectmen.

Having been appointed by your Board as Moth Superintendent, I herewith submit the following report:

Creosoting of gypsy moth nests was carried on during the past winter; the cutting of browntail moth webs which were not so numerous as in past years were destroyed by burning; also the roadsides on several streets were mowed of underbrush and burned, after which we started spraying. All roadsides were sprayed, as well as wood land where gypsy moths were discovered, including residential sections that we were asked to spray.

The tent caterpiller appeared last spring earlier than usual, owing to the dry season, and we had to start spraying earlier to meet the situation.

The fall web worm appeared in larger numbers than last year and we did all that could be done to exterminate them as far as the appropriation would allow. They nest on practically all kinds of trees, but it is almost sure that wherever there is a wild cherry tree you will find them on it, and I would suggest where it is possible that all such trees be removed. The same suggestion has been offered by the State Department, even though the expense be assumed by the Town, as if all such trees were removed the tent caterpillers and fall web worm would become less numerous.

I therefore recommend the sum of $6,000 be raised and appropriated at our Annual Meeting next March for the Moth Department.

I want to thank the citizens for their help and coöperation in this department.

JOSEPH E. GRASSIE,
Moth Superintendent.

REPORT OF HIGHWAY SURVEYOR

To the Citizens of Cohasset:

I herewith submit my report as Highway Surveyor. As soon as the weather permitted the roads were cut back with the road scraper. Nearly all streets given a coating of tarvia and rolled.

The further installation of gas in the Town, especially along Jerusalem Road, has necessitated frequent patching. The roads are often ripped up for the repairing and installing of water pipes and electric lights. I know this is absolutely necessary and mention it only that you may know why large holes suddenly appear from time to time in the roads.

Brook Street was resurfaced and a part of Elm Street also. These were scarified, five inches of broken stone laid, and 2,300 gallons of hot asphalt used in the penetration system.

Pond Street, from the top of the second hill to Spring Street, was drained, ten large catchbasins made with 14-inch, 12-inch, 10-inch, 8-inch pipe used. The blasting was more expensive than anticipated, for we found a large ledge about thirty feet long, two feet under the street. I would suggest that in the coming year the rebuilding continue to Spring Street.

A piece of Lambert's Lane was thoroughly drained, four inches of broken stone laid, and 1,150 gallons of hot asphalt used.

The sidewalks were covered with stone dust and rolled. Cement curbing was laid from the corner of Beechwood Street to the engine house on Doane Street. The cement sidewalk on South Main Street, as drawn out by the civil engineer, was continued from the garage to Mrs. Landry's property.

My attention was called to the cutting away by the automobiles of the sidewalk in front of Mr. Edwin L. Furber's estate. After obtaining permission from the State Highway Commission 305 feet of stone curbing was placed and the sidewalk built up. Much snow fell during January and February, but this was taken care of by the tractors.

	Gallons	Costs	Labor, Teams, Supplies, Trucks	Totals
Atlantic Avenue	800	$152.00	$898.00	$1,050.00
Jerusalem Road	850	161.50	1,088.50	1,250.00
Nichols Road	100	19.00	481.00	500.00
Beach Street	112	20.28	579.72	600.00
Beechwood Street	870	165.30	704.70	870.00
King Street	130	24.70	625.30	650.00
Forest Avenue	120	22.80	557.20	580.00
Norfolk Avenue	80	15.20	284.80	300.00
Ash Street	70	13.30	186.70	200.00
Spring Street	80	15.20	284.80	300.00
Hull Street	90	17.10	452.90	470.00
Doane Street	830	157.70	1,042.30	1,200.00
Church Street	35	6.65	93.35	100.00
North Main Street	75	14.25	235.75	250.00
South Main Street	112	20.28	539.72	560.00
Summer Street	85	16.15	363.85	380.00
Border Street	800	152.00	648.00	800.00
Parker Avenue	65	12.35	167.65	180.00
Margin Street	105	19.95	480.05	500.00
Stockbridge Street	40	7.60	142.40	150.00
Elm Street	13,416	2,951.52	948.48	3,900.00
Cushing Road	80	15.20	284.80	300.00
Oak Street	75	14.25	235.75	250.00
James Lane	30	5.70	104.30	110.00
Pleasant Street	82	15.58	344.42	360.00
Smith Place	30	5.70	104.30	110.00
Ripley Road and Depot Avenue	825	156.75	833.25	990.00
Sohier Street	125	23.75	736.25	760.00
Three short streets and Highland Avenue	92	17.48	432.52	450.00
Joy Place			175.00	175.00
Bow Street			290.00	290.00
Cedar Street			500.00	500.00
Lambert Lane			400.00	400.00
Black Horse Lane			200.00	200.00
Hill Street			400.00	400.00
Pond Street			600.00	600.00
Brook Street	1,000	220.00	886.00	1,106.00
	21,204	$4,459.24	$17,331.76	$21,791.00
Cleaning catch basins, gutters, etc.				2,640.35
Patching				5,392.00
Insurance				642.07
Wages and car				3,300.00
Storage of roller				275.00
Balance to Treasury				35.93
				$34,076.35

Specials: Lambert's Lane repairing	$1,149.24
Balance to Treasury	.76
	$1,150.00

Special 1: Pond Street		$8,199.57
Balance to Treasury		.43
		$8,200.00
Removing Snow and Sanding	$7,521.86	
Insurance, Employers' Liability	239.06	
	$7,760.92	
Amount expended		$7,521.86
Over appropriation		239.06
		$7,760.92

May I take this opportunity to thank the Town officials and the citizens of Cohasset for the many suggestions and courtesies which the men and I have received the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE JASON,
Highway Surveyor.

COHASSET FREE PUBLIC LIBRARY

In Account with Oliver H. Howe, Treasurer

Dr.

To Payments in 1929

For Books	$339.40
Support of Paul Pratt Memorial Library	470.00
Investment of funds	2,000.00
Commission on Investment	4.00
Deposit, Cohasset Savings Bank	540.00
Treasurer's bond	12.50
Rent of safe deposit box	7.50
Secretary's record book	4.15
Postage and stationery	1.10
Balance on deposit, December 31, 1929:	
New England Trust Co.	244.47
	$3,623.12

Cr.

Balance on deposit January 1, 1929	$479.42
Income from investments	1,140.52
Legacy of Edith Mason Bates	2,000.00
Interest, New England Trust Co.	3.18
	$3,623.12

Schedule of Invested Funds

Bonds

$2,000.00	Union Pacific 1st Mortgage 4s.
1,000.00	Massachusetts Gas Companies 4½s.
1,000.00	Detroit Edison Co. 5s.
2,000.00	Southwestern Bell Telephone 5s.
2,000.00	Indiana Service Corporation 1st 5s.
1,000.00	Minneapolis General Electric Co. 5s.
1,000.00	New York Telephone Co. 6s.
1,000.00	Mississippi River Power Co. 5s.
2,000.00	Butte, Anaconda & Pacific R. R. 5s.
2,000.00	United States Rubber Co. 5s.
2,000.00	Ellicott Square Co. 1st Mortgage 5s.
2,000.00	New England Telephone and Telegraph Co. 5s.
1,000.00	Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co. 5s.
1,500.00	Western Telephone and Telegraph Co. 5s.
1,500.00	New York Central R. R. ref. and imp. 5s.
1,000.00	Postal Telephone and Cable 5s.
1,000.00	National Dairy Products 5¼s.
$25,000.00	

OLIVER H. HOWE,
Treasurer.

Cohasset, January 1, 1930.

We have examined the foregoing account and find it correct and properly vouched.

We have also examined the securities in which the funds of the Library are invested, as shown by the foregoing schedule.

GEORGE W. COLLIER,
EDWARD NICHOLS,
Examining Committee.

Cohasset, January 6, 1930.

REPORT OF THE DIRECTORS OF THE PAUL PRATT MEMORIAL LIBRARY

The Directors hereby present their report for the year ending December 31, 1929. The Library under the care of Miss Annie N. Keene, Librarian, and Mrs. Roland D. Earle, Assistant, has completed another year of interesting and successful administration.

The increase in the Town's appropriation for books has permitted the purchase of more and better books in many of the departments.

The Directors would call especial attention to the privilege, noted in the Librarian's report, of obtaining through the Librarian, books from the Boston Public Library which are not upon the shelves of this Library. Subjoined are the reports of the Treasurer and Librarian giving details of maintenance and operation.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE W. COLLIER, *President*,
FRED V. STANLEY, *Treasurer*,
EDWARD NICHOLS, *Clerk*,
WILLIAM O. SOUTHER, JR.,
HERBERT L. BROWN,
FREDERIC J. GAULD,
EDWIN T. OTIS,
Board of Directors.

PAUL PRATT MEMORIAL LIBRARY
In account with Fred V. Stanley, Treasurer

Dr.

To payments for the year 1929:

For books, magazines and binding	$1,219.27	
For express, trucking and other items	76.75	
For electric lights and power	338.65	
For printing, postage and stationery	141.69	
For insurance	161.10	
For repairs and maintenance	340.70	
For rent, Beechwood Branch	250.00	
For salaries	3,370.57	
For supplies	84.26	
For telephone	46.54	
For wood and oil	566.72	
Total expenditures		$6,596.25
alance, January 1, 1930, on deposit in Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company		1,359.49
		$7,955.74

Cr.

By receipts for the year 1929:

Balance, January 1, 1929, on deposit in Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company	$941.90	
Income from investments:		
Pepperell Manufacturing Company, dividends	288.00	
Essex Company, dividends	99.00	
Winter Hill Coöperative Bank, dividends	110.00	
Cohasset Savings Bank, dividends	72.49	
Weymouth Savings Bank, dividends	100.00	
Commonwealth Electric Company, coupons	100.00	

Boston Safe Deposit and Trust Company, interest	$15.56	
Income from unrestricted funds of Cohasset Free Public Library	470.00	
Fines, etc., at library	306.07	
James T. Phelps & Co., rebate on insurance	2.22	
Standard Oil Company, rebate on oil	50.50	
Town of Cohasset, appropriation for Library	5,400.00	
Total receipts		$7,955.74

SCHEDULE OF INVESTED FUNDS

36 Shares, Pepperell Manufacturing Company	$3,600.00	
11 Shares, Essex Company	2,200.00	
10 Shares, Winter Hill Coöperative Bank	2,000.00	
2 Commonwealth Electric Company bonds	2,000.00	
Weymouth Savings Bank	2,000.00	
Cohasset Savings Bank	1,500.00	
Total investments		$13,300.00

FRED V. STANLEY,
Treasurer.

We have examined the foregoing account and find it correctly cast and properly vouched. We have also examined the securities in which the funds of the Library are invested.

OLIVER H. HOWE,
CHARLES W. GAMMONS,
Auditors.

Cohasset, January 17, 1930.

REPORT OF THE LIBRARIAN OF THE PAUL PRATT MEMORIAL LIBRARY FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1929

To the Board of Directors:

I herewith submit my report for the year ending December 31, 1929. This year the charging system has been made more effective by the introduction of identification cards.

The work of remarking books and catalogue cards with the Dewey decimal numbers is progressing; nine hundred three having been completed this year. The Useful Arts and Fine Arts have been finished and we are working now on Literature.

Library Book Week was observed with a display of a large number of new books for children. Gifts for children's bookshelves, lists of books recommended for the home library by the American Library Association, were given out to parents and teachers at the Woman's Club and at the Library. During the week a story hour was conducted by Mrs. Roland Earle with fifty-one children present.

Christmas stories were told the Saturday before the holiday. Reading lists have been revised and distributed to the schools, from the second grade through the eighth. Lists of new books have been published in the local paper, and bulletins have been printed semi-annually.

Books not found in our library have been borrowed from the Boston Public Library. Borrowers are using our library from the neighboring communities of Scituate, Minot, Egypt and Hingham.

The sum of five hundred dollars appropriated for books by the Town is greatly appreciated, and will help to supply, not only more books for the main library, but second copies that are much needed at the Beechwood Branch.

I have attended the meetings of Children's Librarians at the Boston Public Library and the Massachusetts Library Club meetings in Boston and Lenox.

The Library gratefully acknowledges gifts of books from the following persons: Mrs. W. DeFord Bigelow, Miss Dorothy Bolles, Mrs. G. O. Carpenter, Mr. William W. Cook, Mr. Courtenay Crocker, Mrs. J. M. Forbes, Mr. Brooks Frothingham, Mrs. O. R. Jackson, Mr. Joseph Lee, Mr. Enos J. Mills, Mrs. Burton Nichols, Miss Martha Prouty, Mrs. John Richardson, Mr. Josiah Wheelwright.

The statistics for the year are as follows:

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION

	Main Library		*Beechwood Branch*	
	Adult	*Juvenile*	*Adult*	*Juvenile*
Magazines	1,106	129	182	64
Philosophy and Religion	235	19	4	0
Biography	665	115	43	36
Social Science	164	305	9	36
Natural Science	163	61	18	18
Arts	533	185	50	17
Literature	571	156	41	44
Travel	494	93	89	13
History	432	122	47	40
Fiction	11,529	3,608	1,617	1,458
	15,892	4,793	2,100	1,726
Total circulation				24,511

VOLUMES IN LIBRARY

Volumes in Library, December 31, 1928	19,479
Volumes withdrawn	163
	19,316
Volumes added in 1929	710
Volumes in Library December 31, 1929	20,026

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE N. KEENE,
Librarian.

REVISED JURY LIST

July, 1929

Name and Occupation	*Street*
Ahearn, Austin L., garage owner	South Main
Allen, Thomas L., salesman	Atlantic Avenue
Antoine, Abraham J., Jr., plumber	Elm
Ayres, Samuel L., cotton broker	Jerusalem Road
Bailey, Louis B. C., foreman	Sohier
Bates, Arthur S., painter	King
Bates, Edwin P., laborer	Beechwood
Bates, Ellery C., farmer	Beechwood
Brown, Thomas S., caretaker	Elm
Collier, Robert V., manufacturer	South Main
Curley, Joseph J., insurance agent	Jerusalem Road
Denithorne, James, carpenter	South Main
Donovan, Joseph H., gardener	South Main
Eustis, Edward L., insurance	Jerusalem Road
Gammons, Donald T., clerk	Highland Avenue
Gleason, Hellis T., bond salesman	Atlantic Avenue
Higgins, Arthur O., retired	Margin
James, Ezekiel, plumber	King
James, Frederick G., foreman	King
James, Percival N., farmer	Pond
Jones, Alfred W., manager	Highland Avenue
Loughman, William, carpenter	Cushing Road
May, William R., retired	Summer
Mulhern, Frederick M., salesman	Pleasant
Pratt, Roscoe G., salesman	Church
Sweeney, Henry E., insurance	Bow
Tower, David B., retired	Beach
Tower, Russell B., manager	Beach
Towle, Odin, salesman	Border
Willcutt, Joseph N., contractor and builder	Summer

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

OF THE

TOWN OF COHASSET

MASSACHUSETTS

For the Year Ending December 31, 1929

THE BOUNDBROOK PRESS
1930

SCHOOL COMMITTEE

Helen A. Scripture.....Term expires 1930
Manuel A. Grassie.....Term expires 1930
John Bates.....Term expires 1931
Sargent Tower.....Term expires 1931
Barbara W. Churchill.....Term expires 1932
Malcolm Stevens.....Term expires 1932

Organization

John Bates.....Chairman of Committee
Orvis K. Collins.....Secretary
Helen A. Scripture.....Treasurer
Edward L. Stevens.....Financial Secretary

Committee on Buildings

Mr. Grassie, Mr. Bates, Mr. Stevens, Mr. Tower.

Committee on Transportation

Mr. Grassie.

Committee on Fuel

Mr. Tower and Mr. Stevens.

Committee on Hygiene and School Lunch

Mrs. Scripture and Mrs. Churchill.

Regular Meetings of Committee

First Monday of each month at 7.45 p.m.

Superintendent of Schools

Orvis K. Collins, Cohasset 0540, 0290 and Hingham 0561, 1003.

School Physician

Dr. Oliver H. Howe, Cohasset 0014.

School Nurse

Ruth M. Ross, Cohasset 0372 and 102-M.

Supervisor of Attendance

Hector J. Pelletier, Cohasset 0372 and 0060.

School Dentist

Dr. W. M. Ross, Cohasset 0386-W.

Janitor of Osgood School

Louis Mulvey, Cohasset 0290 and 0182-R.

Janitor of Ripley Road School

Thomas A. Stevens, Cohasset 0540 and 0469-W.

Janitor of Beechwood School

Fred Fuller.

School Calendar, 1929-1930

Schools Open . . . . . Wednesday, September 4
Teachers' Convention . . . . . Friday, October 25
Armistice Day . . . . . Monday, November 11
Thanksgiving Recess . . . . . Thursday, November 28
  Including . . . . . Friday, November 29
Christmas Recess . . . . . Monday, December 23
  Including . . . . . Friday, January 3
Recess . . . . . Monday, February 24
  Including . . . . . Friday, February 28
Spring Recess . . . . . Friday, April 18
  Including . . . . . Friday, April 25
Memorial Day . . . . . Friday, May 30
Schools close . . . . . Monday, June 23
Graduation . . . . . Monday, June 23
Schools open . . . . . Wednesday, September 3
Columbus Day . . . . . Monday, October 13
Teachers' Convention . . . . . Friday, October 31
Armistice Day . . . . . Tuesday, November 11
Thanksgiving Recess . . . . . Thursday, November 27
  Including . . . . . Friday, November 28
Christmas Recess . . . . . Wednesday, December 24
  Including . . . . . Friday, January 2

TEACHING STAFF, 1929-1930

High School

		Year Elected
James W. Doyle, Principal, history	Boston University	1921
William Ripley, Jr., science, mathematics	Brown University	1926
Ruth G. Bruce, commercial	Plymouth Normal	1929
Marion C. Chandler, French, mathematics	Mt. Holyoke College	1910
Hazel M. Farrar, English	Boston University	1928
Florence Reed, Latin, civics, commercial geography, business English	University of New Hampshire	1929

Special Teachers

Max H. Meyer, manual training	*Columbia University	1918
Florence E. Kraus, drawing	Penn. State Normal	1914
Helen C. Welch, domestic science	Framingham Normal	1919
Winifred Brooks, physical education	Sargent School	1926
Frederick A. Taylor, music	Northampton School of Music Pedagogy	1924

Osgood Grades

Martha P. Bates, history, geography	*Boston University	1880
Eva M. Burbine, English	Truro Normal	1930
Mary Terry, arithmetic	Bridgewater Normal	1925
Doris Anderson, grade 5	Gorham Normal	1926
Thelma Nichols, grade 5	Keene Normal	1928
Louanna M. Davies, grade 6	Hyannis Normal	1929
Evangeline DeLorme, special class	Lowell Normal	1929

Ripley Road School

Helen L. Brown, grade 4	Bridgewater Normal	1921
Elizabeth W. Knowles, grade 4	Bridgewater Normal	1925
Elaine G. Wing, grade 3	Toronto Normal	1916
Grace E. Jason, grades 2–3	Hyannis Normal	1928
Elinor I. Kennedy, grade 2	Wheelock Normal	1924
Florence Knutson, grade 1	Wheelock Normal	1927
Sarah E. Fox, grade 1	*Hyannis and Castine Normals	1883
Kathleen McMahon, kindergarten	Perry Normal	1915

Beechwood School

Ruperta A. Skelton, grades 1–2–3	Westfield Normal	1928

*Not a graduate.

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

The School Committee submits its report for the year 1929. Included with it are the reports of the Superintendent of Schools, Principal of the high school, and the special teachers.

Osgood School

All exterior trimmings were painted. The roof that was covered with wooden shingles was slated, so that the entire roof is now slated. New valves were installed on all toilets.

On account of the fire the entire building was rewired. In doing this we put four lights in each room instead of two, also outlets for electric clocks.

Metal ceilings were put up and painted in eleven classrooms, the second floor corridor and stairway. The ceilings and side walls of first floor corridor, all dressing rooms, teachers room, office, and stairways were whitened and painted.

Toilets and passageways in basement were painted. Interior window sashes and sills were stained and varnished. New shades were put up at all classroom windows.

Beechwood School

Roof was shingled with asphalt shingles. New gutters were put on. Cement steps were built for the side entrances. New toilets were installed. The ceiling in the main room was replaced and side walls painted. Four electric outlets were installed.

Ripley Road School

Gutters were leaded and small repairs on the roof.

Your committee has the greatest confidence in Mr. Collins' and feels that under his supervision the schools have been brought to a high standard.

Recommendation

The Osgood School is crowded due to the fact that the fifth and sixth grades occupy four rooms. We believe that the third floor should not be used for classrooms on account of fire and panic hazard.

We recommend a six-room addition to the Ripley Road School to take care of the fifth and sixth grades and are placing an article in the Warrant to that effect.

Your committee has had plans drawn by Mr. Edward Nichols for a two story addition of six rooms. This plan has three rooms on the same level as the present school, and three rooms below opening onto the playground at the rear. These plans will be at the Ripley Road School where they can be seen at any time.

Respectfully submitted,

COHASSET SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Committee and Citizens of Cohasset:

I herewith submit to you and through you to the citizens of Cohasset the annual report of the Superintendent of Schools. Included are the reports of the special teachers and the Principal of the high school.

Resignations and Elections

Last spring Miss Carpenter, teacher of English in the seventh and eighth grades was compelled to give up the position because of illness. Mrs. Frances Nash Pratt who so successfully filled the position for several years returned and taught until the Christmas vacation, when the removal of her home to Philadelphia compelled her also to resign.

Miss Poole, who was teaching English and Latin in the high school was elected to a history position in Falmouth and so resigned in June.

Miss Bigelow who had the commercial work in the high school found it necessary to give up teaching at the close of the past year. It seems quite fitting at this time to make special mention of one who so efficiently served for so many years. Miss Bigelow came to Cohasset in 1902 and for twenty-seven years gave to the school most loyal service. A woman of strong personality, high ideals, and a firm belief in the importance of good work, she impersonated in her own life those qualities of mind and character she wished to impress upon the pupils in her classes. She studied each pupil and tried to know his individual needs so that she could aid him to attain the goal he had set for himself. If she were exacting in her demands, the pupils knew it was because of her desire to have each make the most of his opportunities. The richest reward that can come to one at the end of a long term of public service is the realization that this service has been appreciated by those served. Pupils, parents,

and the public are grateful to Miss Bigelow for these years of unflinching devotion to the ideals of her profession.

Mrs. Ruth Glines Bruce, who for three years had been teacher of commercial subjects in the high school of Hinsdale, N. H., was elected to a position in the school. Mrs. Bruce is a graduate of the commercial courses of Plymouth Normal School and has taken courses in the Harvard School of Education.

Miss Florence E. Reed, a graduate of the University of New Hampshire, was elected to the position vacated by Miss Poole. Miss Reed has also taken courses at Boston University and Middlebury College. She taught the past four years in Central Falls, N. Y., and Stoneham, Mass.

Miss Louanna M. Davies, one of our Cohasset girls, was elected to a position in the sixth grade. Miss Davies graduated from Hyannis Normal School in 1926 and taught the past three years in Norton, Mass., and Norwell, Mass.

Miss Evangeline DeLorme was elected in September as a teacher of retarded children. Miss DeLorme is a graduate of the three-year course at Lowell Normal School and had special training in this work.

Miss Eva M. Burbine, principal of the Raynham Center Grammar School, was elected to the position vacated by Mrs. Pratt. Miss Burbine is a teacher of several years experience and secured her training at Truro Normal School and Boston University.

Room Assignments

Two years ago we were able to care for two-thirds of the fifth grade in the Ripley Road School and one-third in the Osgood School; last year we were compelled to have two-thirds of this grade in the Osgood School and one-third in the lower school. This year there were 71 pupils in the fourth grade, thus requiring two rooms, and displacing all the fifth-grade pupils from this school. It made necessary the use of two rooms in the Osgood School for the fifth grade. There are 59 pupils in the sixth grade and 58 in the seventh, enough for two full rooms for each grade, but we were compelled to place these pupils in three rooms instead of the four desired. By placing some of the eighth-grade

pupils who did not receive promotion in a special division we were able to seat this grade in one room, being the one used the year before by the high school. All the science work is done on the third floor, and several of the high-school classes as well as some of the sixth-grade groups recite there.

The building of the Ripley Road School actually gave us the use of only three additional rooms, since the Bates building, two rooms in the annex, and one on the third floor of the Osgood School were discontinued as classrooms.

The number of grade pupils is only 64 more than when the new school was planned, but the proper distribution of these pupils actually requires three more rooms. Where three rooms then satisfactorily seated two grades, now with the exception of the second and third grades four are needed. The fourth, fifth, sixth, and seventh grades average 60 pupils, which calls for two teachers to each of these grades, if recitation rooms can be provided. For the first eight grades and the kindergarten seventeen rooms would be used if they were available.

When the Ripley Road School was built, it was so designed that it could be easily expanded. It was the plan of the committee that this building should eventually house the six lower grades, leaving only the junior high and senior grades in the Osgood School. Just what the future growth of the school population will be none of us can tell. If we knew that we were to have a certain number of pupils five or ten years hence we could plan to meet the needs of that number at once. This we cannot do. We are very certain from the experience of the towns nearer Boston that there will be a steady, healthy growth.

After our experience so long with overcrowded, and poorly lighted and ventilated classrooms we are loath even for a short time to approach that condition.

We need three most classrooms next September. We believe that when these are built that we should build at least four and preferably six rooms. The grade at the rear of the Ripley Road School is such as to make it advisable to make a two-story extension rather than a one story, so that either a four-room or a six-room addition is recommended. If the town should decide to build a six-room addition, only the three rooms on the upper

floor need to be finished this year and the others as needed. Plans and specifications are being prepared, and cost estimates submitted by reliable builders so that the voters may have very definite figures to aid them in making a decision.

Room Number	*Present Enrollment Ripley Road School*	*Estimated September Enrollment Ripley Road*	*September with Additional Rooms*	*Needed Very Soon*
1	58 K	58 K	58 K	K
2	28 I	30 I	30 I	I
3	28 I	30 I	30 I	I
4	32 II	35 II	35 II	II
5	24 II-III	30 II-III	30 II-III	II
6	33 III	35 III	35 III	III
7	35 IV	30 IV	30 IV	III
8	36 IV	30 IV	30 IV	IV
9			32 V	IV
10			32 V	V
11			30 VI	V
12				VI
13				VI
14				
	Osgood School	*Osgood School*		
1	31 V	32 V	30 VI	VII
2	31 V	32 V	30 VII	VII
3	40 VI	40 VI	30 VII	VIII
4	38 VI-VII	40 VI-VII	28 VIII	VIII
5	39 VI-VII	40 VI-VII	28 VIII	Special
6	Drawing	28 VIII	Drawing	Drawing
7	38 VIII	28 VIII	High	High
8	High	High	High	High
9	High	High	High	High
10	High	High	High	High
11	High	High	High	High
12	Domestic Science	Domestic Science	Domestic Science	Domestic Science
13	Typewriting	Typewriting	Typewriting	Typewriting
	Third Floor	*Third Floor*	*Third Floor*	*Third Floor*
	Science	Science	Science	Science
	Special	Special	Special	
	Physical Education	Drawing	Physical Education	Physical Education
		Physical Education		

School Enrollment

	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929
Kindergarten	41	50	43	46	50	47	52	40	58
Grade 1....	60	65	69	72	57	62	64	64	65
Grade 2....	43	46	55	49	54	50	65	43	58
Grade 3....	35	52	49	59	49	52	56	66	44
Grade 4....	46	37	45	47	58	50	63	52	71
Grade 5....	39	41	34	49	58	61	53	63	62
Grade 6....	40	39	42	48	50	54	55	56	59
Grade 7....	57	44	49	49	39	52	52	57	58
Grade 8....	28	43	34	40	34	26	46	41	38
Grade 9....	32	39	38	35	33	40	35	33	44
Grade 10 ...	42	36	24	25	22	26	19	32	33
Grade 11 ...	21	29	25	21	23	23	24	17	17
Grade 12 ...	25	21	23	21	15	20	20	21	14
	509	542	530	562	542	563	604	585	621

AGE AND GRADE DISTRIBUTION, OCTOBER 1, 1929

Grade		4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	*Boys*	*Girls*	*Total*
K	Boys	10	**15**	**1**													26		
K	Girls	12	**19**	**1**														32	58
1	Boys		3	**27**	**7**	3											40		
1	Girls		7	**12**	**6**													25	65
2	Boys			3	**17**	**7**	3	6									36		
2	Girls			5	**10**	**5**	2											22	58
3	Boys				3	**12**	**2**	1		1							19		
3	Girls				3	**17**	**4**	1										25	44
4	Boys					1	**26**	**9**	3	1							40		
4	Girls					5	**19**	**4**	2	1								31	71
5	Boys						6	**13**	**4**	7	4						34		
5	Girls						9	**11**	**5**	1	2							28	62
6	Boys							5	**14**	**4**	5	2					30		
6	Girls						1	2	**10**	**8**	3	3	1	1				29	59
7	Boys								6	**11**	**5**	6	4	1			33		
7	Girls								4	**7**	**6**	5	2	1				25	58
8	Boys								1	2	**12**	**2**	1				18		
8	Girls								1	4	**10**	**4**	1					20	38
9	Boys									1	4	**7**	**12**	3			27		
9	Girls									1	4	**7**	**5**					17	44
10	Boys										1	2	**6**	**1**	1		11		
10	Girls											6	**7**	**7**	2			22	33
11	Boys											1	1	**3**	**3**		8		
11	Girls												2	**4**	**3**			9	17
12	Boys												1	2	**1**	**1**	5		
12	Girls												1	4	**4**			9	14
		22	44	49	46	50	72	52	50	49	56	45	44	27	14	1	327	294	621

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS FOR YEAR 1928–1929

	Valuation per Pupil	*Total Member-ship*	*Tax for School Support*	*Cost per Elementary Pupil*	*Cost per Junior High School Pupil*	*Cost per High School Pupil*
Hull	$41,014	400	$5.24	$224.65		
Brookline	28,408	5,764	4.36	122.78		$162.55
Manchester	23,579	521	4.68	75.60		121.91
Scituate	22,626	598	5.38	107.79		186.30
Duxbury	19,571	357	6.77	116.69	$121.94	
Wellesley	17,095	1,997	7.90	111.87	178.91	197.58
Cohasset	15,803	585	6.06	107.07		235.76
Barnstable	15,323	1,330	6.70	85.96	105.88	164.38
Boston	15,273	128,882	7.31	101.28		152.71
Newton	14,936	9,948	7.31	106.31		160.34
Swampscott	14,751	1,592	6.22	77.38	105.62	134.49
Winchester	14,509	2,219	6.69	90.24		145.27
Milton	13,456	2,592	6.73	94.17	130.65	105.61
Hingham	13,357	1,215	6.83	83.14		152.24
Springfield	13,049	25,088	8.98	93.39	136.82	197.17
Quincy	10,614	13,123	6.64	64.94	99.19	104.60
Weymouth	10,312	4,038	7.22	75.60		121.91
Plymouth	10,137	2,612	8.98	84.87	98.87	110.12
Belmont	9,710	3,718	8.39	71.97	108.14	123.47
Lexington	9.231	2,231	8.62	76.02	98.90	126.28
Reading	8,039	2,034	12.58	73.81	135.11	145.73
Braintree	7,177	3,210	10.27	70.17		127.61

Brockton	7,021	11,573	10.85	76.50		98.81
Concord	6,929	1,302	14.20	99.49		143.04
Rockland	6,104	1,460	12.56	72.11	62.77	172.56
Whitman	5,723	1,594	11.73	59.06		108.04
Abington	4,865	1,209	14.84	66.91		127.28
State	10,311	250,123	8.52	84.26		125.40

COMPARATIVE STATISTICS OF THE COMMONWEALTH
1918-1919 and 1928-1929

	1918–19	1928–29	*Per Cent Increase*
Population			
Population, State Censuses 1915 and 1925	3,693,310	4,144,205	12
Registration of minors, April 1, 1919, and October 1, 1928:			
Persons 5 to 7 years of age	119,663	146,954	23
Persons 7 to 14 years of age	483,117	546,905	13
Persons 14 to 16 years of age	125,256	143,238	14
Illiterate minors 16 to 21 years of age	7,003	5,011	28*
Public Day Schools, Elementary and High			
Principals and teachers	19,150	25,573	34
Pupils enrolled	605,118	744,246	23
Average daily attendance	498,898	652,398	31
Average membership	547,830	699,071	27
Public Evening Schools			
Cities and towns maintaining	84	68	19*
Teachers	1,545	1,357	13*
Pupils enrolled	33,781	38,294 †	13
Expenditure	$309,099.98	$514,704.98	67
Public Vacation Schools			
Cities and towns maintaining	29	32	10
Teachers	472	1,002	112
Pupils enrolled	12,547	30,788	145
Expenditure	$51,075.49	$180,422.07	253
Valuation			
Valuation for 1918 and 1928	$4,738,976,589	$7,171,159,841	51
Valuation per pupil in the average membership	8,650	10,258	19
Itemized Expenditure			
General control, including salaries and expenses of school committees and superintendents	$1,215,579.99	$2,589,074.59	113

	1918–19	1928–29	*Per Cent Increase*
Cost per pupil in average membership	$2.22	$3.71	67
Salaries of supervisors, principals, and teachers	19,607,654.23	48,010,841.58	145
Cost per pupil in average membership	35.79	68.68	92
Textbooks	452,452.80	1,177,344.90	160
Cost per pupil in average membership	.83	1.68	102
Other expenses of instruction	839,303.38	2,219,694.23	164
Cost per pupil in average membership	1.53	3.18	101
Operation of school plant, including janitor service and fuel	4,314,317.88	7,410,724.17	72
Cost per pupil in average membership	7.88	10.60	35
Repairs, replacement, and upkeep	1,272,859.63	3,708,918.32	191
Cost per pupil in average membership	2.32	5.31	129
Libraries	6,893.22	86,991.81	1,162
Cost per pupil in average membership	.01	.12	1,100
Promotion of health	234,952.65	1,024,317.14	336
Cost per pupil in average membership	.43	1.47	242
Transportation	666,772.63	1,789,758.82	168
Cost per pupil in average membership	1.22	2.56	110
Tuition	271,474.24	628,118.39	131
Cost per pupil in average membership	.59	.90	53
Miscellaneous expenditures for support	345,278.35	599,212.80	74
Cost per pupil in average membership	.63	.86	37
Total for support, including ordinary repairs	29,227,539.00	69,244,996.75	137
Cost per pupil in average membership	53.35	99.05	86

	1918–19	1928–29	*Per Cent Increase*
Total for outlay—new school-houses, alterations and permanent repairs.....	$2,259,704.36	$9,106,197.39	303
Cost per pupil in average membership.....	4.12	13.03	216
Total for support and outlay..	31,487,243.36	78,351,194.14	149
Cost per pupil in average membership.....	57.48	112.08	95

*Decrease.

†Not including 24,854 Americanization classes.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

	1929 *Appropriation*	1929 *Expended*	1930 *Estimate*
General Control:			
Secretaries	$125.00	$125.00	$125.00
Supervisor of Attendance	100.00	100.00	100.00
Superintendent	2,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Telephones	280.00	292.83	300.00
Expenses (clerk, travel, postage, etc.)	485.00	389.41	485.00
Salaries, High	12,700.00	12,921.91	13,200.00
Salaries, Elementary	28,000.00	28,295.67	32,000.00
Salaries, Club		300.00	300.00
Books, High	600.00	625.45	600.00
Books, Elementary	900.00	1,281.99	1,200.00
Supplies, High	1,200.00	1,243.53	1,200.00
Supplies, Elementary	1,600.00	1,927.85	1,800.00
Janitors, High	850.00	1,015.50	1,000.00
Janitors, Elementary	2,750.00	3,167.40	3,200.00
Fuel, High	400.00	369.84	400.00
Fuel, Elementary	1,600.00	1,291.32	1,600.00
Lights and Power, High	400.00	387.10	400.00
Lights and Power, Elementary	800.00	670.69	800.00
Transportation, High	2,100.00	2,127.73	2,100.00
Transportation, Elementary	4,200.00	4,055.90	4,200.00
Janitors Supplies, High	100.00	105.41	100.00
Janitors Supplies, Elementary	250.00	255.83	250.00
Repairs, High	2,000.00	1,877.49	1,000.00
Repairs, Elementary	4,800.00	3,320.72	2,500.00
All other, High	125.00	116.58	125.00
All other, Elementary	225.00	166.90	225.00
Equipment	400.00	383.18	400.00
Libraries	200.00		200.00
Health	750.00	737.59	1,000.00
Vocational Education	500.00	769.64	
Lunchrooms	5,500.00	5,569.35	6,500.00

Exercises — Graduation.....	$50.00	$124.75	$100.00
Insurance.....	800.00	761.05	1,000.00
Miscellaneous.....	100.00	108.63	
Fire Loss.....		8.00	
	$76,890.00	$76,894.24	$80,410.00
Vocation Education (segregated).....			1,000.00

Receipts

County of Norfolk, dog tax.....	$577.29
Commonwealth of Massachusetts:	
Teachers' salaries.....	4,675.00
Rent of Ripley Road Auditorium.....	127.00
Supplies sold.....	217.28
Refunds, etc.....	78.19
Lunch receipts.....	4,735.82
Telephone reimbursements	98.14
Total of miscellaneous receipts.....	$10,508.72
Expended from tax levy	66,385.52
	$76,894.24

Fire Replacement

Received from insurance companies.....			$11,337.50
Expenditure:			
Adjusting.....		$25.00	
Text books:			
High.....	$48.31		
Elementary.....	212.14		
		$260.45	
Supplies:			
High.....	$281.56		
Elementary.....	15.22		
		$296.78	

Maintenance of building, repairs:			
High	$4,511.57		
Elementary	5,870.94		
		$10,382.51	
Bond of Pemberton		44.40	
		$11,009.14	
Balance to Treasury		328.36	
		$11,337.50	$11,337.50

Conclusion

We have good schools but they are not always free from criticism, we have a carefully selected, well trained corps of teachers but their work is not always appreciated. The schools serve and affect a larger number of homes than any other public organization. There are those who feel that life as a whole, society in general, and the schools are all deteriorating. The mistakes and shortcomings of the children are most glaring when compared to their own. This is nothing original. Each of the past generations has held the same view. If it were true we would have to admit that the efficiency of the schools is constantly decreasing.

Students of education know that this is not the case. We have a better educated group of parents than any previous generation, and they are not satisfied that the education of their children should be limited by the same bounds as was their own. Each generation does more and more for its young, and they in turn are enabled to do more for their families and society than were their parents.

Our schools must continue to serve the needs of society even more than they have in the past. Education must not be limited to groups. The study and the care of the individual child must be more and more emphasized. This responsibility rests upon the teacher and the school, but upon the parent and the taxpayer as well.

Respectfully submitted,

O. K. COLLINS,
Superintendent of Schools.

December 31, 1929.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

Mr. O. K. Collins,
Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir: I wish to make use of this report to you to convey through it to parents certain points of information which I think may be helpful.

The pupils' report cards, which are issued after each two months of school, contain an explanation of grades and report the pupils' standing at the end of each marking period. As a rule they are the only reports sent out by the school. The parents' signature on these cards do not indicate that the parents approve of the pupils' work but do (or should) indicate that the parents have examined and digested the report. Judging by parental surprise at the failure of their children at the end of the year, I am inclined to the opinion that many give the report card a much less careful examination than the monthly telephone bill. A poor report should bring the parent to the school for an interview with the principal.

The habit of promptness in the morning is a good one to cultivate in children. If a child oversleeps habitually, the parents must hold themselves responsible for both the bad habit formed and the penalty inflicted.

Absence is usually excusable. Whether the pupils' absence was caused by illness or a shopping trip to Boston results however in the same loss of work. The absent child falls behind the class and the work must be made up after school hours, largely on the pupils' initiative.

A boy or girl who consistently fails in high school is either unwilling or unable to do the work. The high school curriculum is a narrow one and certain young people do not find in it the type of training suited to their aptitudes or comprehension. It is better for a boy to leave school to learn a trade than to spend four years acquiring an inferiority complex. A Cohasset, Hingham and Scituate trade school would help remedy this.

During the winter and spring of 1929 three dances were held by different school classes and in May a very interesting demonstration of progressive public school music was given under the direction of Mr. Taylor.

High School Graduates, 1929

Lillian May Brasill
Dorothy Cadose
Elizabeth Stevenson Daun
Alice Lydia Ellsworth
Helen Joan Fitch
Isabel Frances Grassie
Mary Elizabeth Hillis
Mary Brennock Jason
Florence Hennet Lincoln
Mary Magdalen McLellan
Constance Woodman Petersen
Vilma May Petersen
Lucetta Thompson
Mary Esther Tolles
Sally Nichols Towle
John Francis Hurley
James Loughman
Manuel Anthony Marks
Harry Washburn Rose
Joseph Edson Wood

High School Entering Class, September, 1929

Eileen Ainslie
Edith Allen
Beatrice Anderson
Cilia Barrows
Roger Crafts
John Donavan
Randolph Feola
Conover Fitch
Arthur Forsythe
David Fulton
Louise Goodwin
Fred Grassie
Leo Happenny
James Henry
Stephen Hetue
Alberta Hill
Angelina Mallo
Arminda Marks
Herbert Marsh
Olive McArthur
Margaret O'Brien
Dorothea Otis
Betty Piepenbrink
Alice Seaver
Jerome Silvia
Robert Simeone
Mary Souther
Mabel Thurber
Richard Towle
Richard Tisdale
Augusta Williams
Pauline Chase
Marguerite McKay
John Cogill

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES WEBSTER DOYLE,
Principal.

REPORT OF THE ART DEPARTMENT

Mr. Orvis K. Collins,
Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir: The annual report of the Art Department is hereby submitted for your approval.

The work of the department has been carried on under the same general plan as in the previous year, but a few changes in the arrangement of classes seemed necessary in September. I have taught all the grades from four up and have supervised the work in the primary grades, including one fourth grade. Both free-hand and mechanical drawing have been taught in the high school, and one period a week of mechanical drawing in the eighth grade in place of two periods as formerly taught. In the freshman and junior classes the free-hand and mechanical drawing sections have had to meet in the same periods, an arrangement which is not very satisfactory. Boys taking mechanical drawing are permitted to forge ahead as rapidly as they are able to do the work. This makes it very difficult for a teacher to handle two kinds of drawing classes at once because the work is so largely individual.

We have acquired a new set of pictures for picture study in the grades. They are beautiful prints in the exact colors of the original paintings. In many pictures color is the most charming feature and since color is such an important factor in everyday art and life, we welcome this delightful form in which we may teach the pupils something about the way it was handled by great painters. The children are keenly interested.

An exhibit was held in June in the Ripley Road School in conjunction with the Sewing and Manual Arts Departments. In the evening, the Music Department presented a demonstration of the teaching of public school music.

The work in the primary grades has been very good and the interest and enthusiasm of the teachers very helpful. In con-

clusion, I wish to thank you and the members of the School Committee for your support and coöperation.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE E. KRAUS.

HOUSEHOLD ARTS DEPARTMENT

Mr. Orvis K. Collins,
Superintendent of Schools:

Dear Sir: I submit for your approval and acceptance a brief report of the Household Arts Department for the year 1929.

The work of this department has been conducted in a manner similar to that of previous years. Cooking is taught in the seventh, eighth and tenth grades and sewing in the sixth and ninth grades.

The aims of this department are to instill in the girls an interest in the care and work of the home; to instruct them so that they may be able to cook and serve simple, well-prepared food and be able to care for their clothing and do simple sewing for themselves.

Cooking for, and serving in, the lunchroom is an important part of this work. In return for their help at the noon hour the girls are given their lunches on the days they serve.

The lunchrooms at both schools have been well patronized, the receipts being larger than in previous years. Lunches are supervised and to the younger children help is given that they may choose wisely; the majority of the older boys and girls show good judgment in their choice of lunches; with the exception of ice cream, not many sweets are eaten. Beginning in the fall, at the Osgood School milk has been served in half-pint jars. This eliminates any pouring of milk, as the jars are not opened until serving time.

In the spring an exhibition was held in conjunction with the Art, Music, and Manual Training Departments, at the Ripley Road School.

In conclusion the Household Arts Department wishes to thank you and the School Committee for your interest and coöperation.

Respectfully submitted,

HELEN C. WELCH.

INDUSTRIAL ARTS DEPARTMENT

Mr. O. K. Collins,
Superintendent of Schools.

Dear Sir: The outstanding change during the present school year is the offering of an intensive course in woodworking to fourteen boys constituting a special class. Sixteen periods a week are being given to them. This plan, allowing for two to four consecutive periods daily in the shop, has made possible the construction of craftsman furniture of greater content, than is advisable with classes attending for only a few periods a week. Intensive courses in theory and in practice are sound educational procedure. So much of my time has been given to this class, there was left one period only each week for the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades, which is not enough for best results. If this plan is again carried out next year I would suggest that the four periods given now to the sixth grade be added to the time allotted to the seventh and eighth grades, because two double periods a week for one year will produce better results than double periods for two years.

The woodturning lathe is the only woodworking machine that was moved to the annex. For lack of room the others had to be left in the basement of the main building. Real skill in machine operation can be acquired only through consecutive use of a machine. Only one boy can work advantageously on the lathe at one time. In a class of ten or more the amount of time for each boy is rather small. I recommend that one more lathe be provided which will double the time each boy may have for practice.

The boys of the sophomore class are taking their second year of printing and are doing creditable work. They can now do any job printing within the capacity of the press and equipment.

I would call attention again to the fact that the floor space now occupied in the annex is about six hundred square feet less than that formerly occupied in the main building. The circular

saw, the band saw, the emery wheel, the plane, and the supply of lumber are left in the basement. I hope it will be possible to have additional room provided this year. Until a trade school is provided in Cohasset or in a nearby town where Cohasset has some control, most of the industrial minded boys will look to our school for their education. An adequate, well-equipped manual arts department will greatly assist in solving the problem.

Respectfully submitted,

MAX H. MEYER.

REPORT OF SCHOOL PHYSICIAN

The longer one studies the problems of school health, the more one is impressed with the importance of coöperation in the home. The pupil is under the observation and control of the parents many more hours in the twenty-four than he is with the teacher in school. Regular and suitable meals, proper hours of sleep and common-sense supervision, mean more for the pupil's health than anything the school can impart.

This is particularly true of the children who are under weight. They need the best of home care during their period of rapid growth and also need supervision to prevent needless or excessive exhaustion of energy. Many times, because of familiarity, the parent may be less observant than others; but because of this possible neglect, each parent should make it a practice to be watchful of his child. It should be the purpose of all to give the pupil the best possible opportunity in life, and the most fundamental element in this is health.

With grateful appreciation of the coöperation of the Committee, teachers and the school nurse.

Respectfully submitted,

OLIVER H. HOWE, M.D.

REPORT OF CLUB WORK

Mr. O. K. Collins,
Superintendent of Schools.

Dear Sir: I herewith submit to you my report of Club Work for the season of 1929.

Summer Club Work continues to interest about the same number of boys and girls each year. Though the season was dry, gardens in general were well taken care of, and the exhibit held at the Osgood School in September was nearly as large as the one in the previous year. We were fortunate in securing the services of Mr. William Curly and Mr. Frank Perry as judges of the vegetable exhibits and Mr. John Daun and Mr. John Millar as judges of the flower exhibits.

At the monthly meetings of the poultry club emphasis has been placed on the purchase of certified, thoroughbred chicks, on proper housing, care and feeding, and production of eggs. Each boy entered his flock in the Norfolk County Laying Contest.

Charles Infusino received a gold medal from the State for meritorious work in gardening.

The older boys and girls attended Field Day at the Agricultural School in Walpole in April.

Gertrude Groce and Charles Infusino, our local champions in canning and gardening, spent a week at the M. A. C. Camp. Mrs. John Lawrence accompanied them to the meeting at Amherst.

The canning club met during the vacation months. We now have a 4-H Clothing Club with senior and junior divisions meeting on alternate weeks during the winter months. Mrs. Lawrence has charge of both the canning and the clothing clubs.

A complete list of the winners at the exhibit and a statement of the finances will be found on the following pages.

Respectfully submitted,

MAX H. MEYER.

CONTESTS AND AWARDS OF THE BOYS' AND GIRLS' SUMMER PROJECTS

The prizes were contributed by the following citizens and residents of Cohasset: Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Bancroft, Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Bayley, Mrs. Mary K. Bolles, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin L. Furber, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Howes, Miss M. V. McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. John F. McElwain, Mr. Arthur N. Milliken, and Mrs. B. L. Sankey.

GARDEN CONTESTS

Best Cared for Garden Over 10 *Years*

1.	$3.00	Tony Rosano
2.	$2.00	Haley Brothers
3.	$1.50	Joe Polito

Best Cared-for Garden Under 10 *Years*

1.	$2.00	Louis Mulvey
2.	$1.00	Celia Scalzo

Best Four Vegetables

1.	$2.00	Tanger Brothers
2.	$1.50	Charles Infusino
3.	$1.00	Leo Gulla

Largest Display

1.	$2.00	Charles Infusino

Potatoes

1.	$2.00	Tony Rosano
2.	$1.50	Frank Infusino
3.	$1.00	James Rosano

Corn

1.	$2.00	Tony Rosano
2.	$1.50	Charles Infusino
3.	$1.00	James Rosano

Summer Squash

1.	$1.50	Barbara Pratt
2.	$1.00	Mary Emanuello

Winter Squash

1.	$2.00	Louis Logelli
2.	$1.50	Charles Infusino
3.	$1.00	Tony Rosano

Beets

1.	$2.00	Frank Infusino
2.	$1.50	Charles Infusino
3.	$1.00	Louis Meallo

Carrots

1.	$2.00	Joe Rosano
2.	$1.50	Lawrence Peterson
3.	$1.00	Charles Infusino

Ripe Tomatoes

1.	$2.00	James Rosano
2.	$1.50	Tony Rosano
3.	$1.00	Louis Meallo

Green Tomatoes

1.	$2.00	Louis Lugelli
2.	$1.50	Frank Infusino
3.	$1.00	Joseph Polito

Red Peppers

1.	$2.00	Elizabeth Rosano
2.	$1.50	Charles Infusino
3.	$1.00	Joe Rosano

Green Peppers

1.	$2.00	Elizabeth Rosano
2.	$1.50	Charles Infusino
3.	$1.00	Tony Lugelli

Peppers, Small

1.	$1.00	Tony Lugelli

Lettuce

1.	$1.50	Joe Polito

Swiss Chard

1.	$2.00	Frank Infusino
2.	$1.50	Charles Infusino
3.	$1.00	Louis Lugelli

Egg Plant

1.	$2.00	Tony Rosano
2.	$1.50	James Rosano
3.	$1.00	Louis Lugelli

Shell Beans

1.	$2.00	Louis Lugelli
2.	$1.50	Tony Lugelli
3.	$1.00	Tony Rosano

Lima Beans

1.	$2.00	Charles Infusino
2.	$1.50	Frank Infusino
3.	$1.00	Joseph Polito

String Beans

1.	$2.00	Louis Mulvey
2.	$1.50	Tony Lugelli
3.	$1.00	Joe Polito

Onions

1.	$2.00	Charles Infusino
2.	$1.50	Joe Rosano
3.	$1.00	Frank Infusino

Pumpkins

1.	$2.00	Tony Lugelli
2.	$1.50	Charles Infusino
3.	$1.00	Louis Mulvey

Cabbage

1.	$2.00	James Rosano
2.	$1.50	Tanger Brothers
3.	$1.00	Tony Rosano

FLOWERS

Asters:

1.	$1.50	Mimi Infusino
2.	$1.00	Margaret Keating

Dahlias:

1.	$2.00	Mimi Infusino
2.	$1.50	Ralph Enos
3.	$1.00	Elizabeth Rosano

Gladiolus:

1.	$1.50	Lawrence Peterson
2.	$1.00	Mimi Infusino

Assortment:

1.	$2.00	Theresa Gulla
2.	$1.50	Camilla Polito
3.	$1.00	Tanger Brothers

Zinnias:

1.	$2.00	Margaret Keating
2.	$1.50	Elizabeth Rosano
3.	$1.00	Mimi Infusino

Best Cared-for Garden:

1.	$3.00	Mimi Infusino
2.	$2.00	Barbara Lugelli
3.	$1.00	Camilla Polito

CANNING

Three Jars Fruit:

1.	$2.00	Gertrude Groce
2.	$1.50	Barbara Ahearn
3.	$1.00	Mary Pagliaro

Three Jars Vegetables:

1.	$2.00	Lillian Lawrence
2.	$1.50	Mary Pagliaro
3.	$1.00	Gertrude Groce

Five Jars, Three Vegetables, two Fruit:

1.	$3.00	Mary Pagliaro
2.	$2.00	Lillian Lawrence
3.	$1.50	Gertrude Groce

Largest Display:

1.	Camp for 1 week	Gertrude Groce
2.	$3.00	Lillian Lawrence
3.	$2.00	Mary Pagliaro
4.	$1.00	Barbara Ahearn

Clothing:

1.	$1.50	Lillian Lawrence
2.	$1.00	Gertrude Groce

POULTRY

Pullets (any breed):

1.	$1.50	Melvin Oliver
2.	$1.00	Harry Jason

Cockerel (any breed):

1.	$1.50	Melvin Oliver
2.	$1.00	Harry Jason

Hen:

1.	$2.00	Harry Jason
2.	$1.50	Herbert Dion
3.	$1.00	Harry Jason

One Cockerel, four Pullets:

1.	$2.00	Melvin Oliver
2.	$1.50	Harold Goodwin
3.	$1.00	Harry Jason

Ducks:

1.	$2.00	Lawrence Peterson
2.	$1.50	Robert Jason
3.	$1.00	Robert Leonard

Special Prizes:

1.	(*Pigeons*) $1.00	Robert Jason
2.	(*Rabbits*) $1.00	Donald Murphy

Bantams:

1.	$1.50	Walter Kerr
2.	$1.00	Donald Murphy

GRAND WINNERS

1.	Charles Infusino	One week at Camp
2.	Tony Rosano	$2.00

FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Receipts

Balance from 1928	$175.93
From public-spirited citizens	220.00
	$395.93

Disbursements

Cash prizes	$171.00
Junior Club Work	5.00
Transportation to Walpole April 6	6.00
Train fares for Sewing Club	5.00
Expenses of three at M. A. C. Camp	30.00
Travelling expenses to Amherst	26.76
Postage	.80
*Balance on hand	151.37
	$395.93

*Part of the balance is to be used in sending winners to camp in 1930.